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CENTRAL EUROPE HEADING FOR CRISIS

Austro-German Parleys End In Failure

VIENNA'S "NO" TO FREE FIELD FOR NAZIS

Demands Respect For Frontiers And Guarantee Of Non-Interference

VIENNA: July 6.

Negotiations for Austro-German reconciliation proceeding during the past week between Chancellor, Dr. Von Schuschnigg and the German Minister, Herr Von Papen, have failed. No relaxation of tension can, therefore, be expected.

CAUSE OF FAILURE.

It is understood that the failure has arisen on the point that Germany demanded that Austrian Nazis should be permitted to publish their views and work on their "cultural programme," especially with regard to its anti-Semitic angle; also Germany refused to agree to the Hapsburg restoration.

AUSTRIAN STAND-POINT.

The chief condition for which Austria stood was the declaration of respect for the existing frontiers and promise of non-interference while Dr. Schuschnigg would grant general amnesty to all the Austrian Nazis.—Reuter.

BETRAYAL COMPLETE

League Sanctions Against Italy Will Be Lifted On July 15

GENEVA, July 6.

Sanctions will be lifted on the 15th of July.—Reuter.

WHAT BECK TOLD GREISER

Statute Of Danzig Can Be Revised Only With Polish Consent

GENEVA, July 6.

Colonel Beck said that in an interview with Herr Greiser he made it unmistakably clear that Poland was prepared fully to assume the responsibilities under the Statute of Danzig which could only be revised with Poland's consent. He also told him that the High Commissioner could count on the League Council's full support.—Reuter.

DANZIG CONVENTION

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LONDON, July 6.

The Greiser incident at Geneva on Saturday is treated in Germany as though Herr Greiser were the offended party. Official quarters in Berlin give wholehearted approval to the attitude he adopted, while the Nazi Press deals with the matter under such headlines as "Danzig's President Insulted"; "Outrageous Attacks on Greiser in League of Nations Palace".

Interviewed by "Voelkischer Beobachter," Herr Greiser denied the rumours of a plan to change the Danzig Convention by force. He added that he would take the course to see the unbearable situation which had arisen through the League's High Commissioner overcome for all the time.

Meantime the Nazis in Danzig are preparing a "Hero's Welcome" for Herr Greiser when he returns.

ANTI-WOMEN TRAFFIC CONFERENCE.

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON: July 6.

Replying to a question Mr. Eden announced that the League of Nations' Conference on traffic in women and children would be held in Java in next February and French, Chinese, Portuguese, Netherlands, Siamese, Hongkong and Straits Settlements Governments have agreed to send representatives. The United States would send an observer and India was considering the question of sending an observer.

AIRCRAFT BUSY IN PALESTINE

Co-ordination In Cleaning Up Operations In The Hills

JERUSALEM, July 6.

Wireless and aeroplanes are playing an important part in the cleaning up operations of the combined forces of the Cameron and Seaforth Highlanders in the hills of Central Palestine. Heavily armoured vehicles equipped with radio co-ordinate activities with the aircraft.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

DELHI STRIKERS HOLD ON.

(From Our Correspondent).

NEW DELHI: July 6.

Though a number of demands of the Strikers have been accepted by the Delhi Municipality and promise has been given by the Superintendent of Police to look into their grievances, the strike is not yet called off.

In all Police have arrested five persons for alleged causing of obstruction to tramways.

SIR FAZLI IMPROVES.

LAHORE, July 6.

The condition of Sir Fazli Hussain which gave cause for anxiety is better since this afternoon and is maintaining steady improvement.—United Press.

"CITY OF KHARTOUM" CRASH REPORT.

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON: July 6.

The Air Ministry reports of investigation of the "City of Khartoum" crash, off Alexandria, on December 31, 1935, criticises alteration of the carburetter-jet settings, which should not have been carried out in any circumstances and declares that the petrol gauge fault might have contributed to the accident. The report says, the pilot appears to have done all he could, and it is difficult to blame any individual for the delay in instituting rescue measures, but the loss of life would have been reduced, if there had been efficient communication between the flare-path and the air-port.

PROSPECTS OF NEW TREATY

Most Formidable Hurdle Surmounted In Anglo-Egyptian Talks

CAIRO, July 6.

The Anglo-Egyptian negotiators have surmounted the most formidable hurdle by virtually agreeing on the military question. Agreement is expected to be drafted in a few days and, provided the conversations continue the present favourable progress the Egyptian delegation will probably be able to proceed to London and draw up New Treaty before the end of the summer.—Reuter.

ROBIN'S NEW RECORD

Beats Ghosh In Hand-cuffed Endurance Swimming

LAHORE, July 6.

Robin Chatterji, holder of world's endurance swimming record (68 hours 12 minutes), has established a new record for hand-cuffed endurance swimming. He has just exceeded P. K. Ghosh's time for this form of swimming, namely 62-1/2 hours. He entered the water at 7.20 on Saturday morning and completed 62 hours and 40 minutes at 10 to-night.

ITALY'S FRESH THREAT TO POWERS

Will Accept No Agreement Reached At Montreaux

ROME: July 6.

It is officially announced that Italy will not attend the Montreux Conference as long as the Mediterranean "Mutual Defence" Agreements of December continue.

Moreover, political circles warn the Powers against thinking that Italy will accept any agreement reached at Montreux.

It is asserted that, if Black Sea becomes Russian lake, harbouring the Soviet fleet, with free access to the Mediterranean, the balance of power in Italy's home waters will be altered and Italy might feel it necessary to increase her Navy.—Reuter.

Chatterji is still in water.

EARLIER.

Robin Chatterji, who entered the D. A. V. College Tank at 7-20 on Saturday morning in an attempt to improve on Ghosh's record for hand-cuffed endurance swimming of 62-1/2 hours, is confidently fighting against unfavourable weather conditions and other physical ailments, consequent upon a meagre liquid diet and exhaustion and hopes to establish a new record by remaining in the water until 10 o'clock to-night when he will have broken the record and, if he is strong enough, will increase the margin.—A. P.

TOKIO "COUP" ECHO

Thirteen Officers And Four Civilians To Pay Death Penalty

TOKIO, July 6.

Thirteen officers and four civilians have been sentenced to death in connection with the attempted military coup on 26th February when several members of the Cabinet werse murdered.—Reuter.

SIX CITY FATHERS TO BE REMOVED?

Sequel To Defiance Of Dy. Commissioner's Order

JAWAHAR ADDRESS ECHO AT LYALLPUR

LYALLPUR, July. 6.

Interesting developments are expected in the tussle going for some time between the Deputy Commissioner and the six nationalist members of the Lyallpur Municipality on the question of presentation of a civic address to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Congress president, during his visit to this city in June last.

Sardar Sant Singh, M.L.A., speaking at a public meeting last night revealed that he had learnt from a reliable authority that the Deputy Commissioner of Lyallpur has recommended the removal of the six members. Sant Singh and five others from the membership of the Committee on the ground that they presented the address to the Pandit on behalf of the Lyallpur Municipal Committee on his visit to Lyallpur defying his order suspending the Municipal resolution to that effect.—United Press.

FACILITIES FOR INDIAN AIR FORCE

Revision Of Rates Of Payment Contemplated

SIMLA, July 6.

The "United Press" understands that the defence Department, Government of India, has under contemplation an improvement in the method of recruitment to he Indian Air Force together with the revision of rates of payment for the airmen.

The present system of recruitment, which was designed to form one squadron, consisting of three flights has not been found very successful owing to various reasons the main among them being insufficiency of pay, want of many men coming for recruitment, risk of life involved, etc. 124 Airmen have been recruited upto date since 1932, but only 51 are at present serving or under training, giving a wastage of 73.

The first flight commenced in April 1933, and the second flight was due in October 1935, but it actually commenced in April this year forming at Karachi. The third flight has not yet been formed.

The first flight moved to Peshawar, but as it is devoid of Air gunners, it cannot be considered as completely formed. Squadron hear-quarters and the two flights will be located at Ambala.

It may be recalled that the formation of one squadron was the outcome of the recommendations of the Indian Sandhurst Committee of 1926.—United Press.

WILL DEWAN GRANT THEM INTERVIEW?

(From Our Correspondent.)

BARODA, July 6.

It is learnt that the Prajamandal authorities have requested the Dewan for an interview to discuss the present situation. Darbar, Gopaldas Desai in a telegram to the Baroda Prajamandal, while expressing his inability to come on account of sickness, assures support in the actions of the Prajamandal.

SIR FAZLI'S HEALTH CAUSES ANXIETY

LAHORE: July 6.

The condition of Sir Fazli Hussain, Educational Minister of the Punjab Government, who has been ailing here for the last one week, is causing anxiety. He had a relapse this morning. In the afternoon he improved slightly but he is not yet out of danger.—United Press.

Rich City Merchant In Fatal Accident

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NO REPLY FROM GERMANY YET

Eden Tells Commons He Won't Ask For It Anymore

LONDON, July 6.

The continued absence of a German reply to the British questionnaire was the subject of a question in the House of Commons.

Mr. Eden replied that he had made it quite clear the British view and their desire to negotiate. He was not prepared to ask for an answer any more.

It will be recalled that Britain has already asked for a reply at least twice.—Reuter's Special.

Hansa Mehta For Baroda

BARODA, July 6.

Mrs. Hansa Mehta is coming to Baroda on July 12. The local students league is arranging a meeting on the day.

Mr. Achyut Patwardhan, the president of the Gujerat Youth Conference, is expected here on July 10 when there would be informal discussions with the local youths.—United Press.

BENGAL GOVT.'S "NO"

CALCUTTA: July 6.

In response to a query from the Calcutta University the Bengal Government have, it is learnt, refused to appoint at present any committee to consider the question of unemployment in this province.—United Press.

TASK BEFORE US

Rajen Babu And Sardar Patel To Speak At Congress House To-day

Under the auspices of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee there will be a public meeting in the open compound of the Congress House, to-day (Tuesday), at 6-30 p.m. (S. T.), when Babu Rajendra Prasad will address on "Task Before Us." Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel will preside.

Find Of Revolver

LAHORE: July 6.

A surprise raid made by the Police in the house of a Sikh Jat in a village in the Lahore district in connection with a theft case, has led to the unearthing of a six-chambered revolver. The Jat has been remanded to custody under the Arms Act.—United Press.

"DESH DARDI" ISSUES PROSCRIBED

Sequel To Publication Of Gurdit Singh's Speech

LAHORE: July 6.

The Punjab Government has proscribed the issues of the "Desh Dardi," a Gurumukhi weekly of Amritsar, dated June 8, 15 and 22, 1936, in which the address delivered by Baba Gurdit Singh as Chairman of the Reception Committee at the Punjab Rajnitik Conference, held in Sirhali Kalan in the district of Amritsar, has been reproduced, and all other documents containing the copies or translations of or extracts from the said address in the said issues, inasmuch as they contain matter the publication of which is punishable under sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Indian Press (Emergency Powers) Act XXIII of 1931, read with Section 16-(D) of the Criminal Law Amendment Act XXIII of 1932.—United Press.

Women Have Won Right To Recognition

NO DISCRIMINATION ON GROUND OF SEX

Congress President Blames Circumstancees For Non-Inclusion In Cabinet

"The complaint about the indifference of the Working Committee towards the women's question seems to be hardly justified except in so far as men can seldom grow enthusiastic about such questions.

NO DISQUALIFICATION.

"It must be remembered that Congress has declared clearly in the Karachi Resolution and elsewhere, that there should be no disqualification on the ground of sex in exercise of any public function." Thus states Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, replying to the women's protest against their exclusion from the Congress Cabinet.

CIRCUMSTANCES BLAMED.

"Regarding the non-inclusion of women in the Working Committee I must take the full responsibility. I need hardly say that there was or could be any idea on my part or that of others to exclude women as such. But circumstances were such that inevitably my choice was limited by them.

TRADITION BROKEN.

"Even so, it was certainly possible for me to nominate a woman-member, but I decided to break the tradition in the hope that this would ultimately be good for women themselves.

"The representation I have received, is itself a sign that some good has resulted from my decision."

ALLAHABAD: July 6.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Congress President, has issued the following statement through the "United Press":—

"I have received representations from a large number of Congress women from Gujerat, complaining against the indifference of the Congress Working Committee towards the questions affecting women. In particular, objection has been taken to the absence of any woman member in the present Working Committee.

"I welcome this representation, although it is partly directed against me as President of the Congress, as it is a healthy sign of the growing political life among our women-folk."

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KARACHI RESOLUTION.

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EQUAL STATUS.

"Women in India have won so far as Congress is concerned, the right for recognition of their equal status and civic rights which women of England had to carry on with great bitterness for generations before they succeeded. The door is thus open to them and it is for them to enter; but it seems that the long habit still makes them to rely on others' goodwill rather than on their own efforts. That goodwill is there already in a large measure and certainly they should seek to increase it. But ultimately, they will advance politically and socially by their own organised strength and not by seeking favour from others.

"Politically they have already extorted admiration of men of India by the gallant part they have taken in our freedom's struggle. But their task in the social field is far harder for as soon as they try to rid themselves of these heavy social burdens they come up against old customs and man's prejudices and interests. For this task they will have to rely on themselves alone though many of us, who have been their comrades politically will gladly continue to share with them the burden of social struggle also.

"PREMATURE."

"I have been asked to induce the Working Committee to appoint a special women's sub-committee to look after the women's interests and help to organise the Congress women. I would gladly approach the Working Committee with this request and I have no doubt that they would like to help. But it seems to me that such a committee would be a little premature at present and might lull the women themselves into thinking that other people were working on their behalf. The initiative and driving force of the women's movement must come from women themselves. If Congress women organise themselves their efforts will be welcomed by the Working Committee and every help will, I am sure, be forthcoming."— United Press.

ANGLO-TURKO SOVIET PACT

Favourable Progress Of Dardanelles Conference

MONTREUX, July 6.

The Dardanelles Conference resumed and began consideration of British amendments to the Turkish Draft Convention.

The amendments which are the outcome of Anglo-Turco-Soviet discussions at Geneva are understood to make concessions to the Turkish standpoint.

The proposals include the provision for equality of treatment to ships of all powers in war time, when the new proposal provides for the maintenance of a Straits Commission for specified and limited responsibilities.—Reuter.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

EDWARD VIII by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith Emperor of India.

PETITION for Succession Certificate in respect of certain debts belonging to BHAISHANKER RUPSINGH alias BHAISHANKUR RUPSINGH alias BHAISHANKER RUPSEE SOMPURA alias BHAISHANKER R. SOMPURA alias BHAISHANKER ROOPSI, late of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, a contractor, residing at the time of his death at Cutch Sabhrai in Cutch ..... Deceased.

JATASHANKER BHAISHANKER, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, a Contractor, residing at Military Road Santa Cruz in Bombay Suburban District ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Succession Certificate.

Witness SAJBA SHANKAR RANGNEKAR, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this 6th day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-six and in the first year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
Prothonotary &
Senior Master.

TAHIR ALI,

The 6th day of July, 1936.
Messrs. SHASTRI & CO.,
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PETITION for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of GORDHANDAS PREMJI alias GORDHANDAS PREMJI BHATIA, a bachelor, a supplier of Kitsen Lights at the time of his death residing at Chowpatty without the Fort of Bombay ..... Deceased.

Bai MONGHIBAI, widow of Premji Lalji, without occupation, residing at Girgaum outside the Fort of Bombay ..... Petitioner.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

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Bombay this 3rd day of July, 1936.
Official Assignee's Office,
High Court, Bombay.

R. S. BILIMORIA,
Official Assignee of Bombay.
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Public Notices.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

GENTLEMEN of the COMMON JURY, summoned for the current Criminal Sessions are required to attend at the High Court on TUESDAY, the 7th instant at 2-45 p.m. (S.T.)

CHUNILAL B. MEHTA,
Sheriff of Bombay.
Bombay, 6th July, 1936.
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Secretary,
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HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

INSOLVENCY NO. 298 OF 1935.

Re: DOWLATMAL ANARAJ SHAH, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Haji Abubakar Abdulla's House, Bazar Road, Mahim, formerly doing business as Commission Agent in partnership with Danmal Harakchand, Jivraj Fattechand and Keshrimal Dhanraj under the name of Fatechand Anaraj at Parsi Gulli upto S. Y. 1987, 1931 A. D. and now Unemployed: ..... An Insolvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the abovenamed Insolvent has applied to the Court for his discharge and that the Court has fixed the 15th September, 1936, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon for hearing the application

Dated this 3rd day of July 1936.
S. J. RAHIMTOOLA.
Offg. Insolvency Registrar.
3498.

Legal Notices.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 687 of 1932.

Mrs. BLUEBELL ARLAND ..... Plaintiff
Vs.
WHITE CITY, a firm Defendants.

To,
Dr. J. P. ARLAND,
Husband and next friend of the plaintiff abovenamed.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that we will apply before the Prothonotary and Senior Master on Thursday next the 9th instant at 11 a.m. (S.T.) for our discharge as attorneys for the plaintiff abovenamed.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1936.
DAYALJI DIPCHAND,
Plaintiffs Attorneys.
3492.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. RUSTOMJI D. UMRIGAR has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim or interest in or to the said property by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Jehangir Wadia Building Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any will be considered as waived.

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ALL that piece or parcel of land or ground of the Quit and Ground Rent Tenure, situate at Bapu Khote Street, in Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 125 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 999, New No. 8184, Old Survey No. 1/1967 and New Survey No. 1218 and Cadastral Survey No. 2715 of Bhuleshwar Division together with the dwelling house and all buildings standing thereon and bounded, on or towards the East by Sweepers Passage, on or towards the West by Bapu Khote Street, on or towards the North by the house formerly of Bai Jheena but now of Pinjara Abdul Rasul and on or towards the South by the house formerly of Khatri Allarakhia Suleman but now of Haji Jusab Rangari Joonavur and which premises are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 5916 and Street No. 153.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1936.
MULLA & MULLA.
Purchaser's Attorneys.
3493.

Legal Notices.

HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

INSOLVENCY NO. 423 OF 1936.

Re: DATTARAM RAMKRISHNA DEWOOLKAR, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Charni Road, Girgaum and carrying on business as Book Sellers and Publishers under the names & Styles of The Bombay Book Depot and The Saraswati Book Depot at Kshatriya Dnyati Niwas, Charni Road, Girgaum: ..... A DEBTOR.

Ex parte: MESSRS. POHOOMAL BROS. (India): Petitioning Creditors. .....

On the 2nd day of July, 1936, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed Debtor an Insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1936.
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OFFICE ISSUE CONTROVERSY

Satyamurti Wants Question Decided At Next A. I. C. C. Meeting

TANJORE, July 6.

Mr. Satyamurti M. L. A., President, Tamilnad Congress Committee in a statement says he had hoped that after the meeting of the Working Committee the controversy over the question of acceptance of office under the new constitution in the provinces would either be settled or at least that the controversy would be set at rest till the All India Congress Committee decided the question.

Pandit Jawaharlal says: It is my firm belief that acceptance of office under the present order of things is a definite co-operation under imperialism. Equally strongly do I feel that non-acceptance of office by the Congressmen wherever they are in majority in the provinces is a definite though unintended indirect co-operation under the reactionary communal elements where on imperialism thrives.

It is also my firm belief that acceptance of office will definitely weaken the forces of reaction and thereby weaken the British Imperialism and simultaneously strengthen and unify the nation and bring the day of India's freedom nearer.

He sincerely hoped that the question would be decided in the best interests of the nation at the next meeting of the All India Congress Committee.—A. P.

ASSEMBLY CANDIDATE

(From A Correspondent)

The treasurer of Ahrar Party, Bombay, Sardar Sidi Mahumud Habshani who is the President of the Janjira State People's Union and a prominent merchant, intends to stand as independent candidate to the Bombay Legislative Assembly.

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AROUND THE COURTS

BOMBAY, Monday.

Rustom Byramji Sidhva, a Customs clerk in the employ of Madhavji Thackersey Sons and Co., cloth importers, was sentenced by Mr. D. N. D. Khandalavalla at the Esplanade Court to-day to fifteen months rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 75, in default to 3 months' further imprisonment.

Sidhva was charged with criminal breach of trust as a servant, forging a Duty Bill, and using the forged document as genuine, on January 6 last, in respect of Rs. 375.

Sidhva pleaded guilty and threw himself at the mercy of the Court.

He stated that some of his creditors pressed him in January last for money and he was tempted to misappropriate the amount.

He had two previous convictions on similar charges.

The magistrate sentenced him to 15 months' rigorous imprisonment, on each charge, and a fine of Rs. 75, in default to 3 months' rigorous imprisonment. The sentences were to run concurrently.

A novel way of getting at the alleged receiver of stolen property was adopted by the C. I. D. in the Nagdevi Street, burglary case.

While the residents were away, two men, it will be remembered, entered the room with the help of a duplicate key and removed ornaments valued at Rs. 4,000 on Friday evening.

The C.I.D. arrested Saiffudin Ghulamalli and Abbasbhai Mohamadali the same night.

The suspects made a statement on Saturday in which they are alleged to have stated that the property had been given to one Kikabhai Parbhudas employed in a firm at Tamba Kanta.

To recover the property, the police sent the two men along with one of the 'Panch' to the shop of Parbhudas.

Parbhudas grew suspicious at the presence of the stranger and refused to have knowledge of the property.

Some arguments followed and he agreed to see them at Gulalwadi where he would pay money for the ornaments.

The C. I. D. were present at Gulalwadi along with the suspects. When Parbhudas was taking out the money, the C. I. D. put him under arrest.

Some of the stolen property has been recovered by the C. I. D. from his house and shop.

He was placed before Mr. D. N. D. Khandalawalla at the Esplanade Court and remanded.

The story of how a motor-driver, after knocking down a woman in a Bombay street, was alleged to have driven his car fast and escaped, was narrated in the City Coroner's court on Saturday at the resumed inquest on the body of Dagdibai Shanker (35), a coolie.

Dagdibai was knocked down by a motor-car driven by G. V. More on Tardeo Road on the night of June 26 last. She died on the way to hospital.

Shanker Sagaji, a pan shopkeeper, having his shop at Tardeo Road, said that on the night in question, he heard cries of "catch, catch, and take down the number." Witness turned to the direction from where the cries came and saw a motor car going fast along Tardeo Road towards Nana's Chowk. The car had no tail light and hence its number could not be taken.

Mr. C. J. Cursetji, a share-broker said that More was his driver. On the evening of June 26 witness had gone to the Willingdon Sports Club. Two hours later, he told his chauffeur to take the car to the garage at Queen's Road.

Next morning More had brought the car to witness's residence, but it was not working satisfactorily. Consequently, witness asked the driver to take it to a mechanic. On June 29, More informed witness about the accident, and Mr. Cursetjee, in turn, gave information to the police.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental death, adding that there was no evidence to show that More was driving the car either in a rash or negligent manner.

APPEAL TO SET ASIDE NOTICE

"Money Seized Earned In Business"

A petition to set aside the notice served on Iqbal Singh Hundal by the Government of Bombay forfeiting to the Crown the sum of Rs. 4,434, was presented to the Chief Judge of the Small Causes Court on Friday by Mr. H. R. Pardiwala.

The Chief Judge is empowered under the Criminal Law Amendment Act, section 17-E (3), (Act XIV of 1908) to hear and decide an appeal from parties aggrieved by a notice served under the Criminal Law Amendment Act forfeiting to the Crown any property belonging to an accused person convicted under section 17 (1) and (2) of the Criminal Law Amendment Act.

Iqbal Singh was tried and convicted by the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay for a term of two years rigorous imprisonment, for being a member of the Communist Party of India, an illegal organisation, and for issuing news sheets in furtherance of Communist activities in India.

In the petition it is stated that at the time of Iqbal Singh's arrest the sums of Rs. 4,200 and Rs. 234, were found in his possession and were seized by the police.

During the course of the trial of the petitioner before the Chief Presidency Magistrate the prosecution tried to establish that the said amounts were moneys received by the petitioner for illegal propaganda and activities in India.

The learned Chief Presidency Magistrate, in his judgment held that there was no evidence or proof to support the said contention. Thereafter an application was made by the Crown under section 517 of the Cr. P. C. for an order, confiscating the said amounts on the ground that the said money formed part of the Party money or money used for the furtherance of carrying on the propaganda of the Communist Party.

The Learned Chief Presidency Magistrate did not accept this contention and held that the said moneys "cannot be said to have been used for Communist Party propaganda," and further that it cannot be said that the money would be used for any unlawful purposes and rejected the application.

Notice on C. P. M.

The Crown thereupon served the Chief Presidency Magistrate with an order under Section 17(5) of the Criminal Law Amendment Act on June 8, prohibiting him from paying the said amount to the petitioner

Educated in Canada.

The petitioner stated that he had gone to Canada when he was a boy and that he was educated in Canada and in the United States of America and holds the degree of B.Sc. of the Washington University.

After completing his education he carried on various businesses in Canada and was able to lay aside certain amounts out of the income of those businesses.

In 1932 the Petitioner had accumulated Rs. 8,000 and as re intended to study Indian conditions he returned to India in 1933 and had with him at that time Rs. 7,000. The moneys which the Government of Bombay intended to forfeit were the balance of Rs. 7,000 which belonged to him.

Hearing Adjourned.

The petitioner further submitted that there was no evidence in support of the contention that the said amounts were intended to be used for the purpose of unlawful association viz., the Communist Party of India as alleged by Government and are therefore not liable to forfeiture.

The Chief Judge postponed hearing of the application.

Mr. H. R. Pardiwalla with Mr. N. T. Shroff appeared for the petitioner.

"STAGGERING" PROFITS FOR MANAGING AGENTS

(Continued From Page 9)

al profit in selling the assets on the basis of the expenditure incurred.

Assets Not Representing Value

Again the accounts would have enabled the public to see whether in the expenditure incurred any amount has been included in respect of any assets which do not represent value.

In this connection the Committee desire to inform the public that on inspection of the returns filed by the selling Companies for the year ended 31st March 1935 under the Indian Electricity Act it appeared that large amounts for deferred revenue expenditure brokerage, Electric Licenses etc., were included in the fixed capital expenditure of the Belgaum and Bulsar undertakings as at that date. In the absence of the accounts for the year ended 31st March 1936 it is difficult to know what amount in respect of the above items has been included in the sum of Rs. 7,75,000/- sought to be recovered from this Company.

If and amount in respect of these and other similar items is included in the sum of Rs. 7,75,000/- as is very likely, the price payable by the company would be inflated to that extent by reason of the intangible character of such assets.

In the opinion of the Committee, this is a material point on which the subscribers should make inquiry in their own interests.

Remuneration of Managing Agents.

The prospectus contains the following statement:—

"The remuneration payable to the Managing Agents consists of an allowance of Rs. 1,500/- per cent. commision on the nett profits of the Company arrived at after deduction of working expenses and interest charges with a provision that such commission shall not be paid to the Managing Agents unless the Company declares not less than 5 per cent. dividend on ordinary shares."

The above statement is calculated to convey the impression that the managing agents would not be entitled to the commission unless a dividend of 5 per cent. is declared on the ordinary shares. On inspection of the agency agreement the Committee however find that payment of commission has only been deferred and that there is an express provision entitling the managing agents to claim the unpaid commission as soon as the company declares a dividend of not less than 5 per cent in subsequent years.

Undesirable Powers.

It appears from the Company's Articles of Association that although the authorised capital of the Company is Rs. 15 lacs the Directors have been authorised to increase it upto Rs. 25 lacs without obtaining the shareholders' sanction in that behalf. On principle it is undesirable that the Directors should possess such power as it is likely to be abused as has been found in the case of several companies in the past.

The Committee also find that the Articles do not contain any provision entitling the Shareholders to obtain inspection of the Company's books and accounts by means of an ordinary resolution. Such power is usually granted to Shareholders by the Articles of Association. The result would be that if the Shareholders want to conduct an investigation into the affairs of the Company they will have to pass a special resolution which is very difficult as it requires a three-fourths majority in the first instance.

Refusal of Transfers.

The Committee find from the prospectus that the Company thinks of applying to the Bombay Stock Exchange for official quotation. They desire to point out that the Company's Articles do not comply with the requirements of the Stock Exchange. One of these requirements is that the Articles should not empower the Directors to refuse transfers of fully paid shares.

The Articles of this Company however authorise the Directors to refuse such transfers. In making these observations the Committee should not be understood to acquiesce in the absolute power of refusal granted to the Directors. They strongly object to this power but they do not wish to labour the point further as their views on the subject are well-known.

There are several provisions in the managing agency agreement which the Committee consider objectionable.

Objectionable Provisions

The provision with regard to the period of the agency which is fixed at 30 years and thereafter, the provision with regard to personal allowance which is nothing but additional remuneration in another name, the provision authorising the managing agents to contract with the Company, the provision permitting the managing agents to assign their office with the Directors' approval, the provision entitling the managing agents to assign their remuneration and the provision about compensation on winding up are all open to objection.

The Committee do not consider it necessary to go into these matters as their views are well known to the public. There is however one provision in the agency agreement of which they desire to make special mention. This provision is to the effect that "on the removal under any law for the time being in force of the managing agents from office" they would be entitled to compensation equal to ten times the average personal allowance and commission.

The Committee do not understand the full implication of this provision. They do not understand how any managing agent should be entitled to compensation if he is removed under any law. If the provision in question has been inserted with a view to forestall any of the provisions of the new Companies Bill the action of the managing agents is most regrettable.

In conclusion the Committee desire to appeal to the investing public to study the points mentioned herein before deciding to apply for the shares. Those who have already applied for them are entitled to withdraw their applications before allotments are made.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

No Meeting This Week

The Municipal Secretary writes:

There will be no meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation this week.

IRRIGATION PROBLEMS OF INDIA

(Continued from page 9.)

150 crores, while the gross revenue is about 13 crores and the working expenses about 5 crores. The net revenue, therefore, on capital totals about 5½ per cent.

OTHER SCHEMES

Other schemes have been or are being drawn up, but many have been held up owing to lack of funds or because the anticipated financial return was not considered sufficient. In Burma and Madras three schemes involving the cultivation of rice are in abeyance owing to the low price of rice and the decision to incur no further expenditure for the time being on rice production.

Another great irrigation scheme pending is that for utilizing the waters of the Tungabhadra River in the Madras Presidency. This cannot be started before the dispute is settled about the sharing of the water of that river between Madras, Bombay and the Mysore and Hyderabad States.

In addition, work is continuing all the time, developing and perfecting existing schemes, adding each year to the yield of crops from these irrigated areas, which were until comparatively recently mainly barren or desert lands, and providing more and more employment for Indians.

Harijan Sevak Sangh At Thana

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

The Harijan Sevak Sangh had a branch for the Thana District as also one for the Sasti Taluka. Neither of them was, however, functioning regularly, although local leaders are very keen on the removal of untouchability and a considerable amount of work has been done by individual workers. On Sunday last, Mr. B. G. Kher, President of the Maharashtra Provincial Harijan Sevak Sangh, paid a visit to Thana, where a number of workers had assembled to consider the question of reviving the organisation. Among those assembled at the house of Mr. M. S. Rangnekar, were Mr. W. A. Rege, President of the Thana Municipality, Prof. R. S. Bhagwat, Swami Anand, and Messrs. Damle, Joshi, Wandrekar, Pranjpe, Patwardhan, Tendulkar, Ghate and others. It is understood that after a free and full discussion, it was resolved to revive the Harijan Sevak Sangh Branch with the following Office-bearers:—Mr. M. S. Rangnekar, (President); Messrs. Hate and Tendulkar, Jt. Hon. Secretaries; Prof. R. S. Bhagwat, Treasurer; Messrs. Rege, Damle, Jadhav and Kaldate, Members of the Committee.

It appears that excellent work for the removal of untouchability is being done at Ambernath, Palghar and Kalyan and several other places in the District and the resolution to revive the regular organisation will give it a further impetus.

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8-45 Light Classical Concert. Eleanor Kaufman (Mezzo-Soprano). The British String Trio: Jessie Snow (Violin); Alan Bartlett (Violin); Ernest Tomlinson (Viola).
9-25 The News and Announcements.
9-45 "Jill Comes Tumbling After". Being the sixth and ... the series of adventures of Jack and Jill. Book and lyrics by Alec McGill; Music by Jack Clarke. Production by William MacLurg.
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6-0 Relay of Music from Capitol Cinema.
6-30 A Light Orchestral programme. By The Radio Quartet. Leader: Domnic Pereira.
7-45 Talk: "Bombay Cricketers." By Frank Tarrant.
8-0 John Watt and Henrik Ege. Presents: "It seems only yesterday" Music by Harry S. Pepper.
(A B. B. C. Recorded Programme
9-0 p. m. News in English.
9-10 p. m. Commercial News and News in Hindi.
9-30 p. m. A Concert by Saraswatibai.
10-0 SB Assisted by V.U.B. Indian Orchestra.—

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12-38 SB. A Studio Programme by Messrs. Taylor's Gramophone Saloon. ("H.M.V." Recording). Stokowski and Philadelphia Orchestra. "Toccata and Fugue in D Minor." Peter Dawson. McPherson's Farewell." "Deep sea Mariner." Marek Weber's Orchestra. "Chocolate Soldier".—Selection. The Phoenix Theatre Orchestra. "You were there"—Foxtrot. "The Family Album"—Waltz. Don George (Hawaiian). "Song of the Islands" "My Isle of Golden Dreams." Robert Ashley (Baritone). "Bird on the Wing". "With all my Heart". Paul Whiteman's Orchestra. "When Day is Done." "Manhattan Serenade." Calcutta Weather Bulletin for Oceancraft and Rivercraft (if any).
1-36 Kathakata by Charu Krishna Vedantatirtha.
2-6 Sarengee Solo by Murari Mohan Misra.
2-26 Recorded Selections.
2-36 Talk: "Indian Mythological Stories" By Bishnu Sarma.
5-36 Children's hour conducted by Mejdidi. News and Notes.
5-51 Talk: "Australasia's Topsy-turvy Creatures."
6-11 Musical Selections.
6-26 Tit-bits.
6-36 Music Training for Beginners by P. K. Mullick.
7-6 Instrumental Music. Haridas Gangulay and Party—Mouth Organ.
7-21 'On the Sea Beach"—Composed and directed by Bani Kumar. Music by S. Datta Gupta.
7-51 SB News in English.
8-6 SB Classical Vocal Music by Maya Devi.
8-21 S.B. Talk: "The Economic Problem of Bengal." By Amulya Kumar Nag.
8-36 S. B. A religious song by Uttara Devi.
9-51 S. B. Weather Forecast. General News Bulletin. Market Prices. Jute and Gunny Closing Rates. (In Bengali).
9-6 SB A Choral and Orchestral Concert from the Studio. Arranged and directed from by the Rev. T. H. Croxall, Mus. Bac.
10-6 SB Weather Forecast. 2nd News Bulletin. Market Prices. Jute and Gunny Closing Rates. (In English.)
10-21 SB Dance Music (Recorded) from the Studio.

Delhi Programmes:

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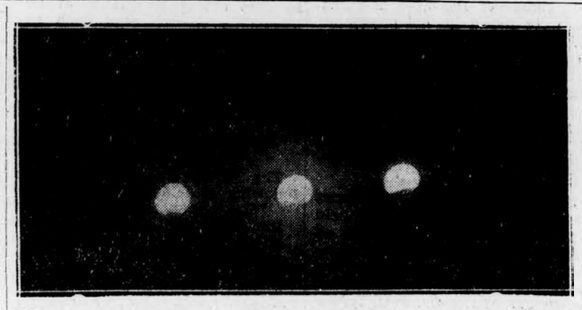
a. m.
8-0 Arti by A. I. R. Orchestra. (Chorus).
8-10 Zawwar Haidar. "Kare badarwa ne gher lai aj". (Bassati Des).
8-20 Karim Husain of Jaipur. "Gawan ki rat sakhi Bhaorain kans men baeth rahi". (Thumri Bhairvin).
8-30 Gaohar Bai of Jaipur. Thumri Jogia.
8-45 Talk (Hindustani): "Success in Business". By Brahmanand.
9-0 Karim Husain. "Ari mero nain chandat tu paindo". (Khayal Desi)
9-15 Master Jiwan. (Clarionet)—Gat Jonpuri.
9-20 Zawwar Haidar. "Marghub mujh ko saqi dil se wuhi sabu hai. Pina haram jiska be ghusl be wuzu hai".
9-30 Haidar Husain Saraswati Veena—Bilawal.
9-40 Karim Husain. "Naina lage sulge pariyon se bans charhi ban ki kaliyon se." (Tappa Zilla).
9-50 Gohar Bai of Jaipur. "Allah Allah re parishani miri Zulf-i-janan bhi hai diwani miri". (Dagh)
p. m.
1-0 Time Signal. Indian Recorded Music.
6-0 Time Signal. A.I.R. Orchestra. Dhani.
6-10 Zawwar Haidar. "Lago mora dhian sayyan sanware salune se".—(Dadra Pilu).
6-20 1st News Bulletin. (Hindustani.)
6-30 1st News Bulletin. (English).
6-40 Karim Husain. Gond Malhar.
6-50 Sabir. Sarangi.—Sarang.
6-52 Sardar Violin.—Bhim.
6-54 Ghulam. Dilruba—Pilu.
6-56 Haidar. Sitar.—Kafi.
6-53 Jiwan. Clarionet—Sindhre.
7-0 Mukerji. Sarod—Multani.
7-2 Malang. Sur Bahar—Mian ki Todi.
7-4 A.I.R. Orchestra. Puria Dhanasri.
7-8 Gohar Bai. "Shab tum jo bazm-i-ghair men ankhen chura gaye Khoe gae ham aese keh aghyar pa gaye." (Momin).
7-20 Malang Khan Vichitra Veena—Mianki Malhar.
7-30 Zawwar Haider. (a) "Mora saiyan sotanian ke (war gayeori". —(Thumri). (b) "Thokar laga ke murdon ko tum ne jila diya. Ijaz-i-Iswi ka tamasha dikha diya."
7-45 "For Villagers Only".
8-45 Talk. (Hindustani): "The Rainy Season in Delhi." By Khawaja Abdul Majeed.
9-0 Karim Husain. "Sajan surjan binan ghari na rahungi sangwa ne Chhado mora jauam jauam ke." Thumri Tilak Kamod.
9-10 Gaohar Bai (a) Mand (b) Malhar.
9-25 Karim Husain. "Meen kaeen alag bhojagwa kare hun kar nonandia." Khayal Sughral.
9-35 Gaohar Bai.—(a) "Jan par khela hun main mera jigar dekhna Ji na rahe ya rahe mujh ko idhar dekhna." (Mir Dard).
(b) Dadra.
9-45 2nd News Bulletin. (Hindustani).
10-0 2nd News Bulletin. (English.)
10-15 Talk. (English): "Earthquakes in India". By A. M. Herdon.
10-30 Instrumental Concert. by Peter Mendoza and his Band.

Members of the Athletic Team of the Hanuman Vyayam Shala of Amraoti taking refreshments at a social at Krishna Cinema, under the presidency of Dr. Deshmukh.



Three phases of the Lunar Eclipse taken at Bombay on Saturday night.

Bengal Club Cup League Matches

PAREL SPORTING REMAINS UNBEATEN

Two games were decided on Saturday in excellent weather condition. In the first game the Medicos had an easy victory over the Matunga United who were defeated by 5 goals to nil.

During the second half the game was rather dull and was mostly confined in the Matunga territory. The third goal was notched by Alixis, while Paranjpe was responsible for the last two goals.

THE RESULT.

G. S. M. College	5 goals
Matunga United	nil

A DRAWN GAME.

The second game provided some good football when the Parel Sports had to be satisfied with sharing points with Goans United.

THE RESULTS.

Parel Sporting	Nil.
Goans United	Nil

MAHIM PLUCKY FIGHT.

On Sunday two more games in the League were played. Mahim in the first game had the better of the Kanara Saraswat in exchanges but failed to force a win.

THE RESULT.

Mahim Sports	1 goal
Kanara Saraswat	1 goal

KING'S CIRCLE TROUNCED

In the second game, Havero was the better of the two and left the field victorious defeating the King's Circle by 3 goals to one.

THE RESULT

HAVERO F.C.	3 Goals.
KING'S CIRCLE	1 Goal.

THE LEAGUE TABLE UP TO DATE

Teams.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	For	Agst.	Pts.
Parel Sporting	5	4	1	0	7	0		9
Goans United	6	4	1	1	13	2		9
D.L.I. Followers	4	3	1	0	7	1		7
Havero F. C.	5	3	1	1	10	3		7
Mahim Sports	6	2	2	2	8	4		6
Rainbow F. C.	6	3	0	3	6	7		6
G. S. M. College	3	2	1	0	9	0		5
Bengal Club	4	1	3	0	4	2		5
Bhoiwada Cross	4	1	3	0	4	1		5
King's Circle	5	2	0	3	7	7		4
Kanara Saraswat	5	0	2	3	2	14		2
Matunga United	7	0	1	6	0	14		1
Khatau Sports	6	0	0	6	0	22		0

ENLISTMENT OF PARSI VOTERS

Work To Continue

At a meeting of the Executive of the Parsi Voters Enrolment Committee, it was resolved to continue its efforts to enrol all eligible Parsis, whose names might have been left out of the preliminary roll which will be published on August 11. The Committee, has been able to have 18,000 new names registered, and appeals to the Parsi community for further subscriptions, as those already received have proved to be insufficient to pay for the expenses already incurred. The Committee states that about 14,000 women voters have been enrolled during the last three weeks. It believes, however, that about 2,000 eligible women still remain to be registered as voters. Moreover, a large number of Parsi matriculates are believed to have been left out, and the Committee feels that efforts should be made to get them enrolled at the next opportunity before the revising authorities.

SIRE OF MAHMOUD SOLD BY AGA KHAN

Goes To American Syndicate For £45,000

GENEVA, July 5

The 1930 Derby winner Blenheim has been sold to an American Syndicate for £45,000 to £50,000.

The Aga Khan interviewed by Reuter explained that he already had plenty of Blenheim's progeny coming on, including Mahmoud, this year's Derby winner.—Reuter.

WEDNESDAY'S MATCH POSTPONED.

In view of the Chinese Olympic Football team playing in Bombay the match between the D.L.I. Followers and Kanara Saraswat in the Indian Football League on Wednesday, the 8th instant has been postponed.

"HINDENBURG" CREATES NEW RECORD

FRANKFURT, July 6.

The "Hindenburg" arrived at 1-20 B. S. T. establishing a world record for the return journey by completing the distance from Lakehurst (New Jersey) in 45 hours, 39 minutes. The total time of the journey to and from Lakehurst was 5 days, 19 hours, 51 minutes, inclusive of two days at Lakehurst.—Reuter.

CHINESE OLYMPIC SOCCER TEAM WIN

CALCUTTA: July 6.

The Chinese Olympic Football Team to-day beat the Combined Civil and Military Eleven by two goals to one.

The Chinese Team left for Bombay to-night by the Bombay Mail.—A. P.

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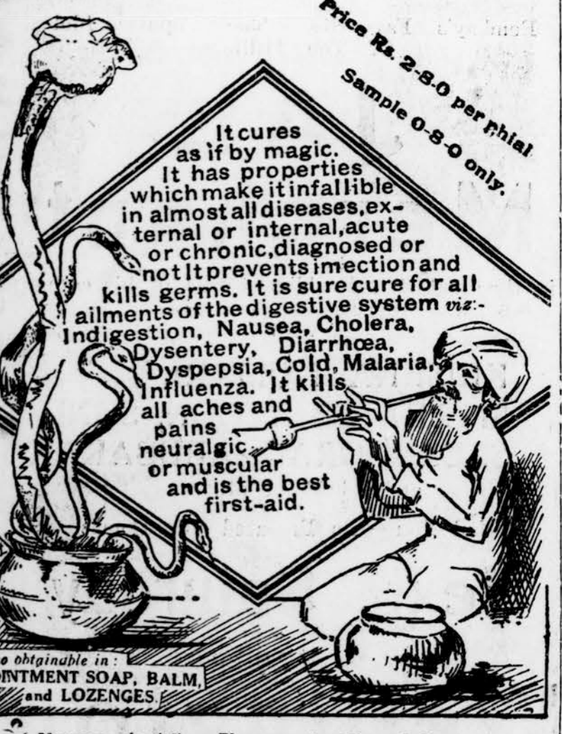

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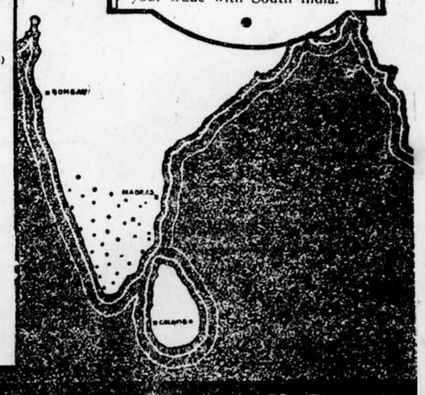

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Parsi: Behman 5, 1305
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Sunrise: 6h. 6m.
Sunset: 7h. 20m.

Results of B.Hy., M.D., M.S., LL.M., D.O. and M. Com. Examinations, University Buildings, 2 p.m.
Improvements Committee, 4-10 p.m.
Rajen Babu's address on "Task Before Us", at Congress House, 6-30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 8.

Municipal Standing Committee, 4-10 p.m.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

'Common Jurors' attention is drawn to the notice appearing in the Public Notifications Column.

S. I. FREE DISPENSARY.

The number of patients treated in the S. I. Dispensary, Bombay, for 20 days since its opening in the month of June last, was as under:—377 (including 301 men, 22 women and 54 children.

RAHIMTULLA DISPENSARY

The number of new patients treated at the Mahomedbhoy Rahimtulla Free Dispensary at Sandhurst Road for the week ended 27th June 1936 was 200; of these 140 were males and 60 females.

MASKATI DISPENSARY

The number of out-patients treated in the Maskati Charitable Dispensary and also Labour Cases in the Bai Nematoolahai Maskati Maternity Home at Kurwa road of Surat in the month of June 1936 were as under: men 4,488, women 3,571, children 3,799 and labour 8, making a total of 11,866.

ANTHROPOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF BOMBAY

An Ordinary Monthly Meeting of the Society will be held in the rooms of the B. B. Royal Asiatic Society, Town Hall, Bombay on Wednesday, (8th inst.) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) when a paper will be read on "Family Life amongst the Untouchables Dhers of Bombay." by Mr. B. H. Mehta.

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A RIOT OF LAUGHTER

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

EXCELSIOR—"Love on a Bet." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
REGAL—"Things to Come." Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Maha Maya." Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Where's George?" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Whipsaw." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PATHE—"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
WELLINGTON—"Pia-ki-Jogan." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
WEST END—"Matlabi Dunia." Time as usual.
GLOBE—"Storm over the Andes." Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
MINERVA—"Millionaire" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Amar Jyoti". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Jeewan Naiya." Daily at 5-30 8 and 10-30 p.m.
ROYAL OPERA—"The Man with Two Faces." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10-0 p.m.
PLAZA—"The Informer." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Holy Crime." Daily at 5, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
PALACE.—"First a Girl." Time as usual.
EDWARD:—"Half Shot at Sunrise." Time as usual.

BOMBAY STUDENTS' CONFERENCE

'A public meeting of the students of Bombay will be held to-day (Tuesday), at the Blavatsky Lodge Hall French Bridge Chowpatty, at 6-30 p.m. when Mrs. Sarojini Naidu will inaugurate the popularising the coming Bombay Students' Conference.'

INDIAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY

"Under the auspices of the Indian Chemical Society, Bombay Section, a meeting will be held to-day (Tuesday), at the Royal Institute of Science, at 6 p.m. when Dr. S. S. Joshi of the University of Benares will deliver a lecture on "Chemical reactivity due to electric discharge."

POSTAL NOTICES

Registered and Unregistered Mails for Colombo, the Straits Settlements, Hongkong, Shanghai and Japan per S. S. "Kaiser-I-Hind" will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 5 p.m. and 6-30 p.m. respectively on Thursday the 9th instant.

Supplementary Registered and Unregistered Mails for Mauritius and Reunion per Extra S. S. "Mundra" Via Madura, Colombo will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 5 p.m. and 6-30 p.m. respectively on Tuesday the 7th instant.

B. P. ADULT EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Dr. B. P. Hivale will meet his students in Psychology to-day (Tuesday) at 6-30 p.m. in the University Buildings South Wing, Fort.

Rev. Fr. H. Llorens will meet his students in Spanish to-day (Tuesday) at 6-30 p.m. in the St. Xavier's College' Cruickshank Road.

Prof. B. M. Mehta will meet his students in French to-day, at 6-30 p.m. in the Wilson College Chaupatty

Mrs. Vesugar will meet her students in "Renaissance" to-day (Tuesday) at 6-30 p.m. in the University Bldgs. South Wing.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

Clan Line Steamer Clan Alpine arrived in London on the 4th morning. Clan Line Steamer Clan Macbean left Liverpool on the 3rd evening. Steamer Clan Macphee arrived at Suez Thursday evening July 2.

The outward P and O Mail Steamer "Kaisar-I-Hind" with the Mails from London of 25th ultimo arrived at Aden at 8 a.m. on the 5th instant and left there at 1 p.m. the same day.

In ordinary course she should arrive in Bombay at 7 p.m. on Thursday, the 9th instant.

The "Kaisar-I-Hind" will sail from Ballard Pier for China and Japan at midnight the same day.

STUD BULL PRESENTED TO SUBURBAN RYOTS.

(From Our Correspondent.)

ANDHERI, July 6.

The cattle improvement campaign has been gaining momentum here and at the annual Darbar of village officers which was held at Gazdar Hall, Andheri, last evening it was announced that Mr. Caeser D'Mello the president of Ville Parle Municipality had presented to the ryots a bull specially selected from Bombay Gourakshak Mandali's live stock at Kandivli and that Dr. D. A. D'Monte had sent a donation of Rs. 250 to be used for cattle improvement.

MOGAVEERA VYAVASTHAPAKA MANDALI

The Thirty-third Anniversary Celebration of the Mandali and the Prize Distribution Function of the Mogaveera Free Night School (conducted by the Mandali) will be held at the C. J. Hall on Sunday, 26th inst. The following persons constitute the Managing Committee for the year 1936-37:—

Trustees:—Messrs. C. A. Master, S. B. Kotenker, H. S. Mandon, K. B. Karkera, and B.A. Kartera.

President:—Mr. H. K. A. Kunderan, D. Com. I.M.C. (Bom) F.C.I. (Lond).

Vice-President:—Mr. S. R. Kunder.

Hony. Secretaries:—Messrs. V. B. Karkera and S. K. Mendon.

Hon. Treasurers:—Messrs. C. P. Karkera.

HIGH COURT SESSIONS STARTS

30 Criminal Cases Including 9 Of Murder, On Calendar

BOMBAY, Monday.

The third Criminal Sessions of the High Court commenced to-day, Mr. Justice Sen presiding.

There are 30 cases on the calendar in which 35 persons figure as the accused.

There are nine cases of murder, while the others are of miscellaneous offences.

In one of these Harold St. John Berry (40), a European is charged with bigamy and concealment of the fact of a former marriage.

ALLEGED DEFAMATION

Case Against City Editor And Printer Postponed

Mr. B. F. Bharucha and Mr. E. R. Hirjibehdin, editor, printer and publisher of the "Kaesar-i-Hind," a Gujerati weekly, appeared before Mr. D. N. D. Khandalawalla at the Esplanade Court, Bombay, on Monday to answer the charge of defamation brought against them by Mr. F. K. Dadachanji.

The complainant stated that he was regarded as one of the leaders of the orthodox section of the Parsi community. He held certain views about the Zoroastrian religion and Parsi Society, its customs and traditions, considered orthodox by majority of the Parsis.

Both the accused held opposite views in certain important matters regarding the Zoroastrian religion and the Parsi Society and those holding such views were known in the community as "Reformists."

The complainant stated that he was against 'Juddin Navjotes,' and 'Juddin' marriages. He alleged that Mr. Hirjibehdin was "most hostile to him" and had harassed and persecuted him. For several years past, he had he alleged, carried on a campaign of vilification and ridicule against him because he was one of the prominent exponents of the orthodox views.

The complainant referred to certain passages in the issue of the "Kaesar-i-Hind" dated March 8, 1936 and said that the allegations were false and unfounded and were such as to lower him in the esteem of the public.

When the case came up for hearing, Mr. Dadachanji said that he had been in public life for over 25 years and that he did not object to legitimate criticisms of his views. He read out certain passages from the "Kaesar-i-Hind" and alleged that those passages were calculated to lower him in the esteem of the public.

After some arguments, the case was adjourned to July 23.

PROPERTIES IN TRIPOLI TO BE RESTORED

The Royal Consul General for Italy, Bombay, writes:—

Marshal Balbo, the Governor of Libya, has issued a Decree in Tripoli by which properties which were confiscated are to be restored to natives and exiles from the regions of Taorga and Jefren who did not directly participate in the revolt against Italy.

By a further Decree similar benefit will also be extended to the regions of Garian.

Dr. G. R. Dongre is proposing to start shortly instructions on the therapeutical and physical culture sides of Yoga in Nagpur. Patients will be treated for their sufferings through the Yogic methods and students will be taken up for physical culture training.

(Continued from Col. 7)

elected. It would not be out of place to remind the Bori Bunder scribe that the people whom it has been supporting all these years have done nothing but snap their fingers at the electorate after being elected and those who have stood on Congress ticket have proved times without number that they stand for the rights of the electorate and fight for them in the Legislatures and not walk into the Government lobby against the interests of the country, as its proteges have done and are doing. It is a bit late in the day for the "Times of India" to talk about democratic government and all that, having been the staunchest supporter of the undemocratic methods of Government and rule by Ordinances. Congress was just waiting for its advice and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel remarked, that the Congress should immediately summon the meeting of the A.I.C.C. or the Congress session and abolish the Parliamentary Board and take advice from the "Times of India" as to how it should conduct the election campaign and what rules and regulations it should frame for the good conduct of the party members! That possibly might please the "Times of India."

AMARNATH MAY RETIRE FROM CRICKET

Punished For Minor Display Of Temper

"I am finished with cricket. In future I will concentrate on lawn tennis," declared Amarnath whom I found in a corner of the salon looking a picture of misery writes a special correspondent on board the S.S. "Kaiser-i-Hind" to "The Sunday Statesman."

Invited to tell me the story behind his dismissal, he was reluctant to talk because he is reserving a full statement for the Indian Cricket Control Board. He described the culminating scene in the pavilion at Lord's adding: "I am absolutely heartbroken at the treatment meted out to me. My crime, whatever view is taken does not deserve the staggering punishment of my peremptory return to India.

"I admit I was indiscreet but the affair was a minor display of temper of a type which must often be seen in the pavilion in English county cricket.

"Two things I wish to make clear. Firstly, I emphatically deny I sent a message or made any communication to anybody elsewhere, criticizing Vizianagram's captaincy. I have been blamed for disloyalty to the captain. This is entirely untrue.

"Secondly, I deny using bad language in the pavilion at Lord's. I spoke in Punjabi to members of the team, not to the Captain, who, anyway, does not understand Punjabi."

Amarnath told me that Vizianagram became cool and unfriendly towards him after the Leicester match when Amarnath, who was bowling, asked Vizianagram to change his (Vizianagram's) position in the field. Vizianagram refused to do so, and there were unpleasant words during the game.

Hitherto Amarnath had opened the bowling for India, but subsequently he was relegated to third to fourth change bowler.

INCIDENT AT LORD'S

Coming to the Lord's incident, Amarnath said he was annoyed because he was relegated to seventh in the batting list and was sent in to bat ten minutes before the close of play.

On his return to the pavilion he flung down his pads and boots and declared, Punjabi, "I am fed up of this type of cricket. I am not used to being messed about in this way."

He was not aware when he said this that Vizianagram had understood his remarks, but next day in the hotel Vizianagram sent for him and informed him that his passage had been booked to India and that he was to sail the next day in the 'Kaiser-i-Hind.'.

Senior members of the team had urged Vizianagram to change his mind but he declined to reconsider his decision.

Amarnath insists that though there was jealousy and dissatisfaction among certain members of the team, he never voiced any opinion outside regarding the captain's methods.

He added "This is a terrible blow because I love playing for India. Both against Cambridge and Yorkshire I played although suffering from injuries because it was for my country."

INDIAN TEAM FOR OLYMPIC

B. P. C. C. Organises Public Reception

Under the auspices of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee a public reception will be accorded to the batch of Indian young men proceeding to Berlin to take part in the Olympic Congress to-morrow (Wednesday), at 6-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Congress House.

The Indian Team has been organised by the Hanuman Vyayam Prasarak Mandal of Amraoti in collaboration with the Indian Olympic Association. The team will exhibit Indian indigenous games and plays. All are cordially invited to attend and give a hearty send off to the Indian Olympic Team.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu will preside and prominent leaders will address.

Before a record crowd, a wrestling match was held under the patronage of the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Darbhanga on Friday.

Chandraj beat the Rumanian Champion, Arnold Koscis, in three minutes.

The German Champion, Edmond von Krammer, accepted defeat after forty minutes by Puran Singh, the Darbhanga State wrestler.

CHINESE OLYMPIC FOOTBALLERS

Will Meet Bombay Team In Exhibition Match On Wednesday

As it is now definite that the Chinese Olympic Football Team will play an exhibition match in Bombay on Wednesday next the W. I. F. A. Ltd., have selected the following team to meet them:—

Goal: Edden (Bombay Gymkhana), right back: Meadows (Somersets), leftback: West (3rd Field Brigade), right half: Owen (Transit Section), centre half: Bradford (3rd Field Brigade), left half: Middle ditch (Somersets), outside right: Godfrey (3rd Field Brigade), inside right: D. McHugh (Bombay City), centre forward: Rourke (R. A.), inside left: King (Transit Section), outside left: Baines (Durhams).

Reserves: Hutchinson (Transit Section), Ramchandra (Y. M. C. A.), Leonard (Bombay City), Dadu (B. B. & C. I. Railway), Welton (R. A.), Butcher (Bombay Gymkhana) and Granger (Somerset).

A STRONG COMBINATION

The team as composed is a fairly strong side and may be depended upon to give a worthy fight to the Chinese visitors. In the absence of an appreciable number of first rate, not to talk of brilliant players among the civilians, the team was bound to be mainly a military side. It is reliably understood that all selectors racked their brains pretty hard to put in as many civilians, including Indians of course, as possible. But with the exception of Edden of the Gymkhana and D. McHugh of the City they could not think of any other outstanding player who could safely replace his military rival in the team. The possibility of a wet ground was also considered which placed the barefooted Indians at a further disadvantage. However, two of them have found places in the reserve and two more civilians are in the list.

THE GATE CHARGES

For the convenience of office-goers the match has been timed to commence at 5-50 p.m. by what time they are expected to get away from their offices without much difficulty. The gate charges have been fixed for the day as follows:—

Members' Stand: Members Rs. 2-4; non-members Rs. 3-6; Committee Stand Rs. 5; public stand Re. 1-2; East Side 9 annas; South side 4 annas. Booking is now open to the public.

A CHAMAR YOUTH FOR OLYMPIC GAMES

Master Nardekar Leaves For Berlin This Week

(From A Correspondent.)

Master Govind L. Nardekar who has been selected a member of the Indian batch of athletes to participate in the Olympic Games to be held in Berlin next month, comes from the Chamar community (Harijan). He was born in 1916 of very poor parents and although his father was in great financial stringency and could make two ends meet with the greatest difficulty, he did not neglect his son's education. After having passed Marathi fourth standard, his father sent him to

Master Nardekar

English school. His further studies were mainly due to his brilliancy and good manners which earned for him the Government scholarship. This enabled him to prosecute his studies in the Gokale Educational Society while his boarding and lodging was helped for by Mr. Kalyanpurker. Thus he passed his matriculation this year.

While in school Master Nardekar proved to be a good sportsman and Dr. Kalyanpurker seeing this gave him training in the Bombay Gymnastic Institute from whence he has been selected for the Olympic Games.

A meeting is being organised by Mr. Narayanrao S. Kajrolker, President of the Rohidas Balmitra Mela, at 8 p.m. on Thursday to present a purse and wish Master Nardekar "bon-voyage."

IN AND AROUND — BOMBAY —

(FROM OUR STAFF CORRESPONDENTS)

"Congress Fascism"!

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru has described in his book how the same word "Democracy" means two different things to some persons. It has one meaning if it is expressed in connection with India and it has absolutely another meaning if it is expressed in connection with any country west of Suez Canal. One can easily understand the Pandit, if one only reads the leading article of the "Times of India" on Monday morning. A well-disciplined party of the people, which cares for the good of the people and has drafted rules and regulations for the good conduct of the members of the Party, is termed as tending towards "Fascism." But similar rules and regulations for members of the different parties in Britain do not constitute Fascism, but mean party discipline and are necessary restrictions for the proper conduct of the Party. What a difference between Free England and India in bondage! The very same Anglo-Indian paper, which is notorious for its anti-Congress—hence anti-Indian—propaganda, tried its best to bring into existence some party to oppose the Congress in the coming elections. The Party was to have come into existence long ago. It is still in the stage of "Coming, Coming, wait for the opening date," and one can be sure that it is never going to come. That is the reason why the "Times of India" has been silent on the question of a new Party for the last few days. Now that the Congress has begun its election campaign in right earnest, the paper is very angry with itself and its proteges and the result is the talk of "Congress Fascism."

Panicky

The people of India and the world know what the Congress stands for and what it has been doing. The Congress is the nation and people in India do not need to be told by an Anglo-Indian paper as to what is good for India and what is not as it has always looked at things from the point of view of what is good for Britain. Again, it has become panicky about the possibility of Congressmen accepting offices. That certainly would be fatal to the cause for which it stands. It says that Congress representatives would snap their fingers at the electorates as soon as they are

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TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(By A SUBURBAN MAN).

The annual Durbar of the village officers was held on Sunday evening at Guzdar Hall, Andheri and was taken advantage of by Khan Bahadur Shaikh Mohiuddin, the District Deputy Collector to popularise the cattle improvement scheme inaugurated by the Viceroy on his arrival to India. Nearly 60 Patels and Talatis, besides several local agriculturists, were present.

Great interest was added to this function by Mr. Caesar D'Mello, the President of the Vile Parle Municipality by presenting a pedigree bull to the ryots in the district.

After the formalities of the durbar were over, Mr. C. N. Dave, Inspector for Live Stock Improvement, Bombay Presidency spoke on the improvement of live stock and and dairying. Khan Bahadur Shaik Mohiuddin then said that nearly one-sixth of the Suburban Area was available for grazing purpose and with an improved breed of cattle there was great scope for dairying. He announced that besides the presentation of a stud bull by Mr. D'Mello, Dr. D. A. D'Monte the President of the Bombay East Indian Association had sent a donation of Rs. 250 to be used for cattle improvement, and advised the suburban residents that every house owner who could afford to keep a cow, ought to do so that they need no longer depend on milk produced in insanitary stables.

PARISH FEAST.

On Sunday the members of St. Peters Confraternity of St. Peters Church, Bandra celebrated their Parish Feast with great pomp and solemnity. A very impressive sermon on the life of St. Peter was delivered in Marathi and the service ended with a solemn Benediction.

The Church although the biggest in Bandra in accommodation was packed to its utmost capacity leaving hardly any kneeling space.

Some time back I told you that this church was to be rebuilt, now I am told that the Rev Fathers of this church have already completed their plans for erecting a very big church for the fast growing population, who take advantage of flocking to this church which is centrally situated rather than go to their parish churches. I hope the Archbishop of Bombay will grant immediate permission for the building of this church.

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THE CONGRESS CALL

The appeal issued by the Congress Parliamentary Committee calling upon the people to support the Congress at the next general elections marks the beginning of the Congress election campaign, and the campaign is begun not a day too soon. The Committee itself points out that the work before it is stupendous, that over two thousand seats are to be contested for the various provincial legislatures, that about thirty million voters have got to be tackled and that several other parties have already started their campaigns in right earnest. It must be noted that the Congress has not been idle during the last few weeks. In every province it has led the Perfect Roll Campaign and has thereby served the country without any reference to its own special claims. It is now time it entered upon a distinctive election campaign with a distinctive election manifesto.

Support Congress

The manifesto will soon be issued by the All-India Congress Committee and will, of course, be detailed enough to give the voters a clear idea as to what the Congress representatives will do in the legislatures, though there is the possibility of the question of office being decided by the next Congress session in December. Meanwhile, as the Congress Parliamentary Committee points out, "the country knows what the Congress has stood for during all these years of struggle and sacrifice. Moreover, the Lucknow session has laid down that the manifesto should be in consonance with the past resolutions of the Congress on political, economic and other questions, and these resolutions are well-known. With regard to the general trend of the Congress policy in the legislatures, it will, as everybody knows, be calcuated to compel the Government to withdraw the present Constitution in favour of one formulated by a Constituent Assembly. This, indeed, will be the most important distinctive feature of the Congress manifesto. Thus in the light of the well-known policy of the Congress, a vast number of voters will continue to support Congress candidates on trust. But it is desirable to use the elections as an opportunity to make fresh converts to the Congress policy. It is, therefore, to be honed that the Congress election manifesto will be eminently fitted for this purpose and will also be available without any avoidable delay.

Gross Misrepresentation

The thoroughness with which the Congress is going about its election propaganda and the memories of its past election successes have naturally much perturbed the reactionaries, as represented by a paper like the "Times of India." Duly impressed by the soundness of the Congress election machinery and fully aware that under its discipline the Congress Party in the legislatures will be more formidable than ever before, our contemporary has already begun its inevitable campaign of misrepresentation. Disciplinary provisions like those devised by the Congress Parliamentary Committee, requiring a Congress candidate to carry on his election propaganda in accordance with specified instructions and generally to stick to the Party manifesto and conform to Party discipline are to be found in all well-organised parties. The "Times of India's" description of the Congress Party's rules as "Fascist-like restrictions" is a piece of gross misrepresentation. The essence of Fascism is the coercion of the many by the few. But where is coercion in the Congress election machinery? If certain persons deliberately choose the Congress Party and its discipline, devised in its own interests, that cannot be called coercion. The "Times of India" makes capital of the wholesome disciplinary rule of the Congress Party requiring a number to resign, if called upon to do so by a competent authority, calls it an "extraordinary" provision and says: "Legislative members may also at any time have to resign not because either they or their constituencies desire them to do so, but because they get their marching orders from an outside authority. In other words, Congress representatives will be responsible not to their constituents but to an extraneous body. This seems to us the very negation of democracy. The principle of democratic government is that the electors should influence and ultimately control the actions of the legislature." This is very bad logic, to put it mildly. When the voters of their own accord return a candidate, knowing beforehand that thereafter he will be under the discipline of his party it only means that they identify themselves with the party. The party then is hardly an outside authority and the elector's ultimate control remains, as delegated to the party. These things are obvious to voters, who will continue to identify themselves with the Congress and will regard Congress mandates as their own. They will hardly be taken in by the familiar campaign of misrepresenting the Congress.

Helping The Outlaw

So far as the League is concerned the Abyssinian affair is "closed" and liquidated whatever the moral wrong of its action. It will be noted that the League quite summarily rejected not only the Abyssinian request for a loan but also the proposal to declare non-recognition of "any annexation obtained by force." It had neither the courage nor the decency to do anything but take refuge behind vague generalities, reaffirming the Covenant that it was simultaneously betraying. There is nothing shocking or surprising in it, since the resolution passed by the League is merely the final culmination of an open and blatant conspiracy of the most reprehensible betrayal in modern international history. But it is profoundly regrettable, for it marks the end of the League, throws smaller nations on the mercy of Big Powers and the world on the mercy of rival alliances which mean force and war. Even the Press of a country like France confesses to a sense of pessimism. And quite rightly so. "Statesmanship" has brought the world back to the period immediately preceding "1914—19."

The tragedy of the horrible betrayal is deepened by the background in which its final act was performed. It will be remembered that the Negus in one of the greatest and most moving orations in history had invited the League to answer certain questions. No one dared to give an answer. Next day the Negus definitely told the League that an Abyssinian Government was functioning in Abyssinia. That claim of his has just been re-inforced by Reuter's correspondent who was till recently with the Italian forces. He does more. According to him, the Abyssinians are not yet down and out. Indeed they are still fighting the Italians and what, is more, "at the recent feast of St. Michael, Ethiopians swore to drive out Italians and boast of reserving their big effort for the worst week of the rains when aeroplanes will be impotent." Both the combatants, Italy and Abyssinia, are gasping for breath, the one because of sanctions and the other through poison gas. It is at this critical stage that the League has chosen to desert Abyssinia and rushed to the relief of Italy! We said that the action of the League of Nations constitutes the most reprehensible betrayal in modern International history. Is there any exaggeration in it?

Unjustifiable Ban

That, inspite of the equality of treatment which is professed to be extended to all citizens of the Empire in Britain, the spirit of racial discrimination still persists there, is once more evidenced by the refusal to admit two highly qualified Indians doctors to the British Postgraduates Medical school at Hammersmith. This is the more surprising in view of the fact that the school was specially started for training Empire students, and that the Secretary of State for India is a member of its Governing Body of the school. The reason given for debarring Indian students from the appointments of House Physicians and House Surgeons, viz., that Indian students did not know how to behave themselves is too atrocious a libel to be taken seriously. Fortunately, Dr. Katilal, the indefatigable Deputy Mayor of Finsbury, has interested himself in this question and has already prevailed upon the National Union of County Officers, which is a sort of trade union of British doctors, to pass a resolution protesting against this preposterous discrimination. It is to be hoped that the London County Council, which is the controlling authority of the Hospital, will immediately look into the matter and remove the unjustifiable ban forthwith.

FROM ACROSS THE SEAS

Gleanings From The World Press

(From our London Correspondent).

Mr. J. H. Thomas, resigned, is now free to hunt bandits in Chiltern Hills. This is the duty of the Steward of Chiltern Hundreds (Stoke, Desborough, Burnham) post, for which, in accordance with Parliamentary practice J.H.T. applied in order to resign.

By law, passed in the days when expense, danger and laborious travelling made Membership of Parliament a doubtful privilege, M.P. cannot resign except in certain cases such as bankruptcy when seat becomes vacant automatically. To get round this he applies for Chiltern Hundreds, or the post of Bailiff of Manor of North stead, Yorkshire, both now purely nominal offices which are, however, considered to be "offices of profit under the Crown." Since, under the Statute of Queen Anne an M.P. cannot accept office of profit under the Crown except in certain circumstances, this is equivalent to resignation.

Until nineteenth century the holder of Children Hundreds was entitled to £1 per year. Several M.P.s may be appointed to the post in turn on the same day, one vacating as the next is appointed.

Iranian Air Chief.

General Ahmed Nakhjavan, debonair airman and Commander-in-Chief of Military Aviation in Iran, is in London and has been welcomed by Lord Swinton.

He learned flying in France, and was the first Persian to fly his own machine from Paris to Teheran. He has twice narrowly escaped death in crashes. The general is a crack polo player. His coups at the poker table in the Teheran club where diplomats and courtiers gather are almost legendary in Iran.

Roosevelt's Opponent.

The American Republicans' choice of their Presidential candidate disposes of almost the last hopes that Senator Borah might one day be President of the United States.

Governor Landon, Mr. Roosevelt's Republican opponent for the Presidentship, is only 48. In the unlikely event of his being elected, he would be the youngest American president since Theodore Roosevelt; his wife would be the youngest hostess at White House. An American described Governor Landon as a man who was equally at home with and without a neck-tie. The most characteristic thing in his career is that he was christened Alfred and changed his name by deed-poll to Alf.

Hitler's Book.

Many German families possess as many as twelve copies of Hitler's book "My Struggle."

Every now and then some new order is given making it compulsory for the authorities or schools to present copies of this book. School prizes are usually in the form of copies of the book. Young married couples receive it as a present from the registrar and girls bring it nome from school as a reward for good behaviour. The immediate profit goes to Messrs Eher, official publishers to the National Socialist Party.

And Hitler has now bought a newspaper called the "Pariser Tageblatt," the organ of the anti-Nazi German refugees in France, edited by Professor Georg Bernhard. The newspaper announced on June 11 that its proprietor had negotiated the sale with Dr. Schmolz, head of the Press services at the German Embassy in Paris. The entire staff has resigned and will start a new anti-Nazi paper.

As a result of a recent decision by the Soviet Trade Unions, which allotted a large sum for the purpose, 122,000 workers are now studying English, French and German in language courses at their various enterprises.

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It is reported that Sir Harry Lauder has been refused permission to visit Italy as the authorities feared he would sing "I Love Selassie."

Indian Companies Act Amendment Bill

A Critical Review

By JAGMOHANDAS B. KAPADIA.

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The next section, namely, Section 87C deals with the remuneration of managing agents. It provides that the remumeration of managing agents of companies incorporated after the commencement of the new Act would be on the basis of a fixed percentage on the net profits of the company with a provision for a minimum in absence of profits together with an office allowance to be defined in the agency agreement. I am glad to note that the section gives effect to the salutary principle that the managing agent's remuneration should be on the basis of profits only. It is natural that objection would be taken against the provision contained in the section by vested interests, especially by managing agents in Ahmedabad and Calcutta where the system of commission on production and|or sales very largely exists. I, however, hope in this matter the legislature would remain firm as the system of commission on production and|or sales has been condemned by independent observers as most unsound. There is one particular reason why the system of commission on production and|or sales must be scotched without delay. At present several important industries, for example, cotton, steel, sugar, paper, are enjoying protection. The schemes of protection as framed by the Tariff Board are based on the footing that the managing agents engaged in these industries would be remunerated on the basis of a fixed percentage on the profits of the company as for example 10 per cent. in the case of cotton and steel industries and 7-1|2 per cent. in the case of sugar industry. It cannot be denied that as a result of the protection granted new companies have been formed in these industries. The growth of the sugar industry in particular is a case in point. What, however, is the country's experience? Managing agents not only have secured commission on sales but, in some cases, have secured a combined commission on sales and profits. The protection granted by the State has thus been abused and funds which should ordinarily have been utilised in paying a better return on the capital invested in the undertakings or in strengthening the financial resources of the industry have found their way into the pockets of managing agents. It is hoped that the Legislature will not stultify itself by effecting any modification in the basis of remuneration as laid down by the Section.

Unwarranted

The section, however, is not made applicable to existing companies. I do not understand why the existing companies should be at liberty to remunerate their managing agents in any form other than on the basis of profit even after their agreements have terminated under Section 87A(2). This is wholly unwarranted. The section should, therefore, be amended so as to bring the existing companies on a par with new companies in the matter of remuneration on the expiry of the existing agreements.

Office Allowance

The provision for office allowance seems to be unnecessary in view of the fact that office allowance really connotes office expenditure and is not supposed to provide the managing agent with additional remuneration. If this provision is retained it will be abused. I, therefore, suggest that it should be deleted.

The section further provides that any stipulation for additional remuneration in any form would not be binding upon the company unless sanctioned by the shareholders at the statutory or general meeting of the company, the intention underlying payment of additional remuneration is not clear. Whetever the intention, it should be expressly provided that such additional remuneration should only be on the basis of a percentage on net profits and that the same should not be operative unless sanctioned by an extraordinary resolution.

Net Profits

Sub-clause (2) of the section defines net profits as profits of the company calculated after allowing for all the usual working charges, interests on loans and advances, repairs and outgoings, but without any deduction in respect of income-tax or supertax, or any other tax or duty on income or revenue or for expenditure on capital account or any sum which may be set aside in each year out of the profits for reserve or depreciation or any other special fund. It is necessary to point out that this definition of net profits does not exclude from profits income of an abnormal or non-recurring nature, such as premium on the issue of new shares or profits from sale of capital assets or forfeited shares. The definition should, therefore, be amended so as to exclude income under these heads.

Again the definition excludes depreciation in the calculation of the managing agent's commission. On principle this is unsound as it is an acknowledged fact that depreciation is a charge on production. I, therefore, submit that in the calculation of the managing agent's commission depreciation should not be excluded.

(To be Continued.)

FRANKLY SPEAKING

BRITISH LOAN FOR LTALY.

The report published in the "Star" of London about negotiations for a British loan to Italy may not be correct; but it is not improbable either. The Italo-Abyssinian conflict and the Sanctions have crippled Italy so badly that a complete financial and economic crash was only a matter of time. Italy will be greatly relieved, of course, by the lifting of sanctions, thanks to the generous and timely assistance of the League Powers. But she is in dire need of money. Germany is more or less bankrupt and, so far as France is considered, the position has undoubtedly changed to a material extent by the accession of Socialists to power and their programme of a quasi-National control of the Bank of France. America's experience as a creditor of European countries has not been quite happy and she is nervous of getting entangled in European affairs especially at the present moment. That only leaves Britain as a likely creditor. And since Britain has developed a sudden desire to accommodate Italy, the report of "The Star" may yet prove true in due time.

URGENT LEGISLATION

We fully endorse the representation made to Government by the Bombay Provincial Board of the Harijan Sewak Sangh in support of Mr. M. C. Rajah's Bill to remove the civic disabilities of the Harijans. It urges not only that such legislation is within the competence of the legislature but also that it is the duty of Government to support it. The Bill in no way interferes with any religious beliefs or acts as such. It rather removes, as the Bombay Board points out, the social coercion of a community in the guise of religious usage. Such legislation is now urgent in view of the widespread feeling of despair among the Harijans and of revolt against their wrongs.

THE YOUTH MOVEMENT.

The Gujerat Youths' Conference, which was held at Ahmedabad during the week-end, is a sign of the revival of the youth movement, which along with other national movements was affected by the political depression in the country during the last three years. Those who expected or wished that continued repression would kill the movement did not reckon with its vitality and its capacity to adapt itself to changing circumstances. Repression has only made the youths more radical in their views, both political and economic. Whatever its shortcomings, the youth movement has some priceless merits, such as high idealism, determination never to accept defeat or illegitimate compromise, active sympathy for the poor and ruthless opposition to communalism. Above all, it is the very embodiment of the spirit of revolt against political and economic bondage. Sympathetically and tactfully guided by the elders, the youth movement, which has already done a real service to the country, will do a great deal more in the greater struggle that is ahead.

NEED FOR ACTION.

Some of the best ideals of the present-day youth movement have been felicitously set forth by Mr. Achyut Patwardhan in his presidential address at the Ahmedabad conference. But he rightly warned the youths against being content with cherishing and talking of high ideals. "Real progress," he said, "can only begin if thought is implemented by action. That action in the case of India means a more intimate contact with the peasant masses and it is through that alone that any type of reconstruction can take shape or form. Without adequate action sterile thought acts as a barrier to progress." The speech of Mr. Niru Desai, Chairman of the Reception Committee, was marred by an unjustified attack on Congress leadership. The Conference, as a body, however, fully appreciates the work of the Congress and has adopted a resolution appealing to the country to maintain Congress solidarity. The youth of the country may well set an example in this respect.

PATRO IN NEW ROLE.

It is amusing to find Sir A. P. Patro in the role of a champion of the ryot. Speaking at a place in the Vizagpatam District he indicted the Congress on a number of charges including indulgence in "the game of destruction at the expense of the agriculturist". That is not surprising since the Justicites feel that they must run down the Congress somehow if they are not to be swept off in the coming elections as they were in the last Assembly elections. But the very fact that they should be reduced to employing such a transparently false charge betrays their untenable position. Anyone who knows even the least about Congress and its activities would not fail to see through the Madras knight's allegation that the Congress has not done anything for the villages. Sir A. P. Patro specially talks about village industries being in ruins and the suffering and starving ryot. Has he heard of an institution called the A.I.V.I.A. or is he conveniently unaware of its origin and activities? And, perhaps, it would be too hard on the ex-Minister if he were asked as to what he and the other justicites did for the ryot when they were in power! Anyway, we are glad that Sir A. P. Patro and his like are at least talking about the suffering and starvation of the ryot. If they were to analyse the causes of their sudden interest in matters rural, they would get the most convincing answer to their charge against the Congress.

Collective Farming

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—It is gratifying to see that great interest is being manifested now in rural uplift both by the government and non-official bodies. Pt. Madan Mohan Malaviya in his foreword to "Rural India" (by Ch. Mukhtar Singh, ex-M.L.A.) fully endorses the opinion of the author that collective farming could be a very effective remedy for most of the ills of the poor farmer. Little attention seems, however, to have been paid so far in putting the scheme of collective farming into practice on a large scale. If the villagers start working on a co-operative basis they can derive a good many advantages. It is only an organised effort that is required to set things going. With the help of educated people and by working collectively the farmers could make better arrangements to improve their sanitation; more attention could be paid to health and education; purchase and sale of commodities could be better organised; they could protect their rights better and money could be made available to them on cheaper rates of interest, providing means to manufacture nearly all their requirements themselves. Co-operation of wealthy and educated men with the poor farmers is, of course, essential in the beginning. It is high time that public spirited people devoted their due attention to this matter. With earnest efforts the work could be so organised as to make possible a speedy growth of such co-operative institutions, doing great economic and social good to the poor people who are in a great majority in the country. Without economic and social uplift of the masses, no success is possible in our am-

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Without Comment.

"All that will be necessary will be to amend the 1925 Agreement by eliminating the Emperor of Abyssinia and substituting the Italian Government as the author of the voluntary concession claimed by Britain. The event should be all the more gratifying to the British Government because it will be no longer necessary for that Government to fulfil its own part of the 1925 bargain. What Britain undertook was to induce the Emperor of Abyssinia to grant to Italy a sphere of influence in Abyssinia such as is now superfluous.—"Observer," (Tory Sunday paper of London).

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Our Anglo-Indian contemporary denounces the "Congress Election Machinery" as a form of dictatorship indistinguishable, so far as we can see, from Fascism or Hitlerism."

What our contemporary objects to—so far as we can see—is the provisions that render it extremely difficult for candidates and members to exploit the Congress or betray it.

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It is, however, a consoling thought that the Congress is not after all a Socialist or Communist body, isn't it?

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Messrs. Jinnah and Mahomed Sulaiman Mitha, have been nominated by the Bombay Provincial Muslim League Parliamentary Board to prepare an election manifesto.

We wonder whether the manifesto will be inspired by the spirit of the Muslim League Resolution on reforms or that of the Muslim Committee's humble addresses to Lord Willingdon and Lord Linlithgow?

Or would it combine both—sort of "The Parliamentary Board will work the no-good-very-good reforms for what they are worth"?

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Hyena Menace In U. P.
—Head line.

That, unfortunately, is not the worst of menaces in the U. P., or, for that matter, in any Province.

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Sir A. P. Patro vehemently declares that "Patriotism was not the monopoly of any class or any particular party."

No. Of course not. Patriotism can be, and is, traded upon by any body.

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Sir Hari Singh Gour, who has been "touring" Europe, told Reuter in London that "sanctions appeared to have no effect at all on Italian life. . . ."

Nothing surprising in a man who even when in his own country seldom succeeds in catching a glimpse of the obvious.

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"Has the League Failed?" Asks a writer in a famous magazine.

No. It has passed—away.

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The League's apologist pleads: "The tension is increasing. Nerves are at the snapping point. Reports from Geneva assure us that that matters are being lubricated and eased along so that probably no great war will break out this 'this year'".

The reports are quite true. International politics at Geneva have become reassuringly and most remarkably oily.

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"British Loan For Italy?"
—Headline.

Well, why not? Even Lloyd George was er—led by er—er—er exigencies of circumstances (so to speak, you know) to agree to shake hands with murder -with which was incorporated poison gas.

And, then, Italy, which is tottering must, in the interests of European Peace, civilisation and what not, be helped to her feet and then to her aeroplane to spray the remnants of Abyssinians with poison gas. Most urgent.

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According to a solemn agreement between Japan and Manchukuo, Japanese residents in Manchukuo have lost their rights of extra-territoriality.

But they have been compensated for with intra-territorial sovereignty.

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A man may be proud of his will-power, until he comes up against a woman's won't-power.

Towards Brighter Bombay

Where Our Rich Have Failed

WHAT OUR READERS SAY

To The Editor of The "Chronicle."

Sir,—I gladly accept your invitation to contribute ideas "Towards Brighter Bombay." Let me first congratulate you for the instigation of a campaign which is bound to awaken the conscience of the people. But may I mention that it is not necessary to mix up party politics with such a subject. We all love Bombay, and if things are not moving quickly towards Brighter Bombay, it is not because we do not desire it, but because we often find that the Municipal constitution is defective. Sometime back my attention was drawn to the fact that in one of our beautiful residential localities a neighbour had erected tin sheds and huts which destroyed the amenities of the place and created a slum appearance. The municipal authorities were moved, and they were helpless. Municipal Act does not provide for aesthetic laws. Now, Sir, in every city we have not only to remove slum areas, but keep a constant watch so as to make the city more beautiful. Beautiful spots must be preserved and increased. These in turn will instruct and enhance the aesthetic taste of our people. Man does not live by bread alone. It is as important to awaken the spiritual conscience of our people. It is here that our rich people have failed utterly. The duty of the rich is to spend money and create beautiful things. When God gives wealth, it is a trust and the duty of the rich is to discharge that trust. What is the use of money if you do not create and enhance the beauty of our magnificent city? You might as well collect stones.

Almost everywhere one sees in Bombay beauty spots mutilated simply and solely because the aesthetic taste of our people is not developed. And the most recent case of such mutilation is the recent monstrous development near the Oval. I charge the Bombay Government before the bar of public opinion with an act of vandalism. As if it was not enough to have thrown crores of public money into the sea, the Government of Bombay has at one full stroke destroyed for ever the beauty of the entire area. Every time I pass by, I am tempted to blow up the entire monstrosity.

So, Sir, you will see how very necessary it is to strengthen the Municipal Act. It is by legislation alone that you can restrict the cupidity of the builder. You might, perhaps, think that I am writing about beauty spots only. It is not so. A city which knows how to preserve its beauty will never tolerate slums in its midst. And what slums we have! Even cattle are better housed. Last year at budget time when we had some surplus, I moved that we should create a reserve for slum clearance. The majority wanted a reduction of one per cent in the general tax. Now, Sir, reduction of taxation can also be of an indirect kind. Eleven lacs of rupees spent on slum clearance every year will certainly give us a Brighter Bombay at the end of ten years. Slums in each Ward must be tackled year by year. Open spaces have to be created. There must be parks in each Ward, where the poor unfortunate children might breathe God's fresh air. The question is so serious that we must not tolerate mixing it up with politics. It is the work of all citizens regardless of political labels. Let me hope, Sir, you will carry on and not rest until the effort is crowned with success.—Yours, etc.

A. P. SABAVALA.

The Retreat,
Middle Colaba.
Bombay, July 6.

"National Objectives Of The Film"

To The Editor of The "Chronicle."

Sir,—I cannot help lauding the keen interest you have been persistently showing towards the cinema, and its vital influence in Indian rejuvenation; particularly with reference to your bold leader in the issue of the 4th June, '36, under the heading "National Objectives of the Film." where you begin with "No civilized self-respecting nation, competent to visualize and build its future can afford to overlook the new force that has come to stay and influence national life, thought and activities," You have just told a bit of simple truth. It is true you have dealt at length with many of grave questions, but you seem to have missed an important point, and I am afraid you have, perhaps, never been given to reflect over this problem a little seriously,—it is about the Cinema-Literature. If it is a fact that two halves make one complete, it is also a fact that Cinema cannot be taken as a whole without its literature. Cinema does, undoubtedly, amuse, demonstrate, and educate us through one and hundred ways, but is it not also necessary that its "varied grandeur" and broad complications should be well explained and supplemented by means of a wide and planned scheme of literary supply? The film journals are doing much in this direction, but they are either imbued with momentary interest, or their compass does not extend to a high class literature of general interest.

I take pleasure to forward you a copy of a manifesto of the "Cinema-Series," which has just come out with loud declarations to provide the Hindi world with a real type of Cinema Literature, in the shape of fictions, dramas, lives, and farces. If what the series declares comes true, we shall be much gratified to see ourselves stepping on the right side of things. Among many other features mentioned here you will note that in the very first issue we are going to have a glimpse of Indian fight of Freedom, Russia, Japan, China, the "Civilizing Mission of Mussolini in Abyssinia," "and all looked through the eyes of the Cinema." All this is good news, but only sad thing is that the head office of the series should have been in the centre of Indian Filmdom, instead of being at Kashi. However, let us all hope and pray that the series honestly stands to its policy; and I would also request you please to see that such organizations do come up well, as they actually fulfil a long-felt need of Indian public.—Yours, etc.

"S. P."

Bombay, July 6.

Bombay

POINTS FROM LETTERS

Three Views On Different Aspects Of Education

Education

"Vox Populi" (Bombay) views with disfavour the new rules regarding the Civil Service examination in England. Moreover, he wants the Government to divert their attention from University education to universal primary education. The medium of instruction, he concludes, should be vernaculars.

Recommendation

H. P. Gupta (Bombay) recommends the following University and Board examinations to those who find the Matriculation examination of the Bombay University too difficult—:

(1) The Punjab University:—33 per cent marks required for a pass. Second Language not compulsory. Domestic Science in place of Mathematics for girls only is allowed. Good percentage of passes every year from among the private candidates.

(2) Benares Hindu University:—33 per cent marks for passing. Mathematics optional. Only one Second Language. Easiest exam. 50 per cent. results.

(3) Rajputana Education Board:—History and Geography are counted as two subjects. Only one Second Language. 33 per cent. marks for a pass. Admission easy.

(4) Cambridge Senior:—If you are good at English, the exam. is a standard one which is recognised throughout the British Empire for the purposes of admission to Universities and other bodies. Mathematics optional. Even English texts are not compulsory.

Fees

RATILAL (Bombay) wishes to draw the attention of the sponsors of the Students' Conference to "the fat fees levied by several institutes for their examinations" and cites the instance of the Sanitary Inspectors' examination, the total fees for which amount to Rs. 200.

Lancs. Declare At 435 For 8 Wkts.

India's Collapse After Bright Start: 6 Wkts. Down For 195: Merchant 70

PLAY POSTPONED DUE TO RAIN

In the second day's play between India and Lancashire, the latter declared their first innings closed at 435 for 8 wickets.

C. S. Nayudu was the successful bowler and captured 4 wickets for 115 runs.

Indians had made 195 runs for 6, when rain caused stoppage of play for the day. Merchant had the highest score on the Indian side. He made 70 runs in 195 minutes.

THE SCORES:—

LANCASHIRE (1st Innings)..... 435 for 8, declared.

INDIA (1st Innings) ..... 195 for 6 wickets.

LONDON, July 6

Weather was brilliant and wicket fast when on resumption of the match between Lancashire and Indians, Lancashire declared their innings for 435 for eight.

Hussain and Jai were India's opening pair, but Hussain left with the total at 12. Nutter bowled Jai and C. K. Naidu and with fall of the latter's wicket lunch interval was taken. Jai was out at 64 for 2.

MERCHANT BATS WITH CONFIDENCE.

The four bowler attack was not too guileful. Merchant batted with great confidence and reached his 50 in 110 minutes. Vizianagram was caught in the slips off Follard at 154 and Mushtaq Ali was out l.b.w. (N) for seven at 166.

SLOW GAME.

Attendance was now 3,000. Game was extremely slow, 23 runs being scored in 45 minutes. At 189 Merchant was out l.b.w. (N) to Nutter.

Latterly he was very slow, having at one period scored only 15 runs in 110 minutes. He was batting altogether for 195 minutes and hit 8 fours.

RAIN INTERVENES.

Heavy rain caused stoppage with the total at 195 for six when tea interval was taken.

Total (for 6 wkts.) 195

The closing score was 195 for six wickets. There was no further play after tea.

Dilawar Hussain played for Indians for the first time in the tour but made only 2 runs. Merchant batted for 195 minutes and hit 8 fours. Jai made 34 and C.K. Naidu 39.

LANCASHIRE—1ST INNINGS: 435 FOR 8 DEC.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Nissar 0 for 64; C. K. Nayudu 2 for 85; Jilani 0 for 24; Bannerjee 0 for 45; C. S. Nayudu 4 for 115; Mushtaq Ali 1 for 42; Merchant 1 for 36.

INDIA—1ST INNINGS.

Hussain b. Pollard	2
Jai, b Nutter	34
Merchant l.b.w. (N) b Nutter.	70
C. K. Naidu, b Nutter	39
Vizianagram, c Nutter, b Pollard	5
Mushtaq Ali l.b.w. (N) b Nutter	7
Ramasawamy (not out)	16
Bannerjee (not out)	3
Extras	10

CANTABS' TALL SCORE

Put Up 432 Runs In Inter-'Varsity Match Against Oxford

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON: July 6.

The Inter-'Varsity match commenced at Lord's. Weather was dull and overcast.

Seamer replaces Kimpton, who has badly strained an ankle.

THE TEAMS:

The teams are:—

CAMBRIDGE:—Bartlett; Tindall, Jehangir Khan, Cameron, Wooller, Yardley, Gibb, Nelson, White Brocklebank and Pawle.

OXFORD:—Mitchell-Innes; Singleton, Darwall-Smith, Seamer, Barton, Belle, Matthews, Grover, Walford, Murray Wood and Dyson.

Nelson and White opened the Cambridge innings but White playing back too far to Dyson hit the wicket (27—1—19). Tindall was out at 81.

LUNCH DETAILS.

Attendance after lunch numbered 6,000 including Mrs. Baldwin and the Nawab of Pataudi.

NELSON'S STOLID DISPLAY.

Nelson was brilliantly caught at short leg by Walford, lying on his stomach (194—3—91). Nelson gave a stolid display for 185 minutes and hit 9 fours. At the next ball Bartlett was snapped up by the wicket-keeper. Yardley too missed his century narrowly, being caught at square-leg when 90 (236—5—90). He played an enterprising cricket for 130 minutes and scored all round the wicket, reaching the boundary on 13 occasions. His partnership with Nelson for the third wicket put on 113 runs in 90 minutes.

Gibbs was out at 291; Pawle at 326; Wooller at 396 and Jehangir Khan at 404. Jehangir Khan was batting for 85 minutes. His partnership with Wooller for the 8th wicket added 70 runs in 45 minutes.

FALL OF WICKETS:—27 for 1; 81|2; 194|3; 194|4; 236|5; 291|6; 326|7 and 396 for 8.

CAMBRIDGE: (1ST INNINGS).	
White (hit wicket), b Dyson ..	19
Tindall c and b Murray-Wood	10
Nelson c Walford, b Dyson	91
Bartlett c Matthews, b Dyson	0
Yardley c Singleton, b Darwall-Smith	90
Gibb c Matthews, b Singleton	46
Pawle b Murray-Wood	40
Jehangir Khan c Belle, b Mitchell-Innes	49
Wooller c Dyson, b Seamer ..	37
Cameron (not out)	28
Brocklebank (not out)	4
Extras	18
Total (for 9 wickets)	432

City Merchant Caught In Worli Death-Trap

MOTOR FALLS INTO THE SEA

Mr. Anandilal Poddar's Son Killed

BOMBAY, Monday.

A tragic motor accident took place at about 2 p.m. at Hornby-Vellard in which Mr. Rambilas Anandlal Poddar was killed. The driver of the car who sustained serious injuries is lying in Sir J. J. Hospital.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

It appears that Mr. Rambilas was driving down from his residence at Santa Cruz to Bombay. The car was being driven by his chauffeur. When the car reached Hornby-Vellard, the driver saw two motor lorries coming from the opposite side. Behind the motor lorries another car, in which there were Europeans, was also coming. It is said the driver of this car wanted to overtake the two lorries. As there was no room to proceed further the driver of Mr. Rambilas gave a turn to the motor car in order to drive it on the footpath. In doing so the car collided against a cocoanut tree and the impact sent the car towards the railings on the opposite side and it fell into the sea.

TO RESCUE.

The passers-by at once came to the assistance of these two unfortunate victims and with great difficulty they were able to rescue the two bodies. Meanwhile, two doctors, passing by the road in their motor car were ready to help and give first aid. It was found that Mr. Rambilas's injuries were more serious than those of the driver. Both the victims of the accident, when taken out from the sea, were said to be unconscious. Injections were given to both of them to save their life.

NARIMAN ON SCENE.

At this moment Mr. K. F. Nariman was passing in his motor car. He immediately got down and rendered every help that was possible. He immediately telephoned to the Fire Brigade to get the ambulance car and he himself took both the bodies to the J. J. Hospital, where on examination it was found that Rambilas had already expired, and the condition of the driver was found to be very serious.

The damaged car was taken out by Mr. Coombs and his staff who came on the scene in response to a message to them. The Coroner held post-mortem examination and after the body was identified by the relatives of the deceased the jury was adjourned. The body was taken to Santa Cruz where it was cremated at 7 p.m.

MARKET CLOSED.

When the news of the accident had reached the markets all business in the cotton market came to a dead stop. The Marwari Merchants and others went to Santa Cruz to offer condolence to the aged father. About two hundred merchants and other prominent citizens were present at the crematorium.

PROMISING CAREER CUT SHORT

Mr. Rambilas was a very promising member of the Agraval Marwari community. His father, Mr. Anandilal Poddar, is a known cotton merchant and is also well-known for his charities.

Mr. Rambilas who was 23 years old was his youngest son. He was a graduate of the Bombay University. He held progressive views and helped the nationalist cause on all occasions. He made many friends who will mourn his death. He leaves behind him an aged mother, who has been lying unconcious since the last two days suffering from a long illness, his aged father, three brothers and his widow.

WORLI DEATH TRAP.

This fatal accident which has taken away the life of a rich and promising merchant is not the first of its kind at Hornby Vellard. Several fatal accidents have occurred in the past, but it is very unfortunate that the cause of such accidents, viz., narrowness of the road, has not been removed by the Bombay Municipality. Only last year such an accident happened, when Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas was almost fatally injured. At that time Mr. K. F. Nariman was the Mayor and he had protested very strongly against the executive that no steps had been taken to widen this road, which has become a veritable death-trap for motorists. To-day's accident could have been avoided if the road had been wide enough to allow Mr. Rambilas' car to pass with safety. It is to be hoped that City Municipal Executive would at least now awake to its sense of duty.

Deputy Inspector Winton and Sergeant Dugard of the Agripada Police station are making inquiries.

MRS. PODDAR DEAD

A telephone message received at 1-35 a.m. from Santa Cruz states that the aged and ailing mother of Mr. Rambilas Poddar who met with the fatal motor accident at Hornby-Wallard at Worli expired at about 1-30 a.m. She leaves behind her husband Mr. Anandilal Poddar and three sons to mourn her loss.

SOVIET FISHING SMACK WRECKED

SAPPORO, (Japan) July 6.

Many lives are feared to have been lost by the wreck of the Soviet 4,000 ton steamer "Cima" bound from Vladivostock to Petropavlovsk with 900 Russians aboard. The "Cima" struck the rocks off Desolate Island in the Kurile Group.

The passengers, mostly fishermen were on their way to the fishing grounds off Kamchatka. The Soviet steamers "Orochon" and "Burevestinik" have requested permission to enter Japanese territorial waters to take off the threatened people, but fog is hampering rescue work; meanwhile heavy seas are pounding the crippled "Cima."—Reuter.

Calcutta.—About 870 decoities were committed throughout Bengal during the last six months, about 130 being committed in June alone.

DEMOCRATIC SWARAJ PARTY

BOMBAY: Monday.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Democratic Swaraj Party will be held on July 12 at Amraoti to consider the Congress Secretary's statement regarding coalition.—A.P.

W. C. Macpherson Dead

LONDON: July 6.

Death has occurred of Mr. William Charles MacPherson.—Reuter's Special.

(Mr. W. C. MacPherson was a retired member of the I.C.S., who had served in various capacities in Bengal and Assam and was Chief Secretary to Bengal Government, Chairman of the Port Commissioners, Calcutta and a member of the Board of Revenue).

'PLANE EXPLODES IN MID-AIR

Melrose Braved Weather Against Advice

MELBOURNE, July 6.

Jim Melrose, the well-known Australian airman, who was piloting Lieut-Colonel Campbell to Adelaide was advised to delay his start owing to the weather, but he declared "I shall give it a go". An hour later his 'plane according to an eyewitness appeared through low rain clouds, 20 miles from the capital circling as if about to land when an explosion occurred in the machine which disintegrated in midair. The wreckage spread a mile wide.—Reuter.

DEEP SORROW FOR ANSARI'S DEATH

(From Our Correspondent).

SACRAMENTO (California), July 6.

Moslems and Indians assembled here and recorded their deep sorrow for Dr. Ansari's death and condolence to the nation and family.

HEAVY TOLL OF "INDEPENCE DAY"

NEW YORK, July 6.

Twohundred and fifty accidental deaths marked America's 'Independence Day' holiday, which is the highest total since 1931, when the death roll was 483.

Saturday's victims included 150 killed on the road and 75 drowned. Reuter.

PROVINCIAL GOVTS. VOTE FOR BRITISH EXPERTS

Plan To Overhaul Secondary Education Throughout Country

(From Our Correspondent.)

SIMLA, July 6.

The views of Provincial Governments on the proposal of the Central Advisory Board of Education that experts may be brought from England to advise on the reorganisation of secondary education have now been received and are under consideration of the Government of India. As they appear to welcome the idea and are reported to have expressed willingness to utilise the services of the experts it is understood that the Government of India will proceed to make arrangements for the arrival of experts early next winter.

A number of experts will probably be not less than five but it is not yet definitely known how many can be spared and for what period by the Board of Education in England. The function of the experts will be purely advisory. It is expected that the Provinces will hold a preliminary enquiry by their own officers in order to collect the necessary data and to formulate problems awaiting solution and, when the experts arrive, their advice, based on modern systems of education in the west, will be taken and considered by the Provinces concerned.

The main idea underlying the proposed enquiry is to give a practical turn to Secondary Education in the country with a view not merely to prepare students for vocational courses but also to revise the curriculum so as to make it less academic and more practical in nature, where possible and necessary. In order to facilitate the enquiry and to save the time of the experts. The Provinces will divide themselves according to plan, which will be decided later.

The next meeting of the Central Advisory Board of Education will probably be held in next February, by which time the Sub-Committees appointed at the last meeting are expected to complete their reports.

TO FIGHT U. P. CONGRESSMEN?

Seceders From Jinnah's Party To Plan Strong Combine

(From Our Correspondent.)

NAINITAL, July 6.

In connection with meetings of prominent Muslims held here in order to formulate their attitude towards new reforms and the situation arising out of resignations of Nawabs of Chhatari and Sir Md. Yusuf from Mr. Jinnah's Parliamentary Board, it is understood that another meeting will be held at the Aligarh residence of the Nawab of Chhatari on July 19. It is mentioned that these Muslims will form their own party for the forthcoming elections and in the manifesto they will issue, they will say that they have formed the party to safeguard Muslim interests. They will at the same time try to maintain connection with the National Agriculturist Party of which both the Nawabs are prominent members.

FORMIDABLE COMBINE.

It is also understood that efforts are being made to find a working basis for co-operation between the National Agriculturists and business interests in the Province. Thus it is said if the efforts at satisfactory understanding between Muslims, Agriculturists and business interests succeeds, their supporters think they will form a formidable alliance and offer Congress candidates a difficult task to sweep polls, as they hope and are trying for.

MEDICAL COLLEGE FOR MAHARASHTRA?

Suggestion At King George Memorial Meeting

POONA, July 6.

That a Medical College for Maharashtra be established at Poona was the suggestion favoured by a majority when the King George Memorial Committee met this evening. Mr. Trotman, Collector of Poona, presiding, and considered several suggestions for a Memorial including a Park in the centre of the City.

Other suggestions were a Leper Asylum, endowing a Chair of Pathology and a dispensary for rural areas. Although the establishment of a Medical College meant expenditure of a huge sum. Members favoured conversion of the existing School into a College. It was decided to raise two lakhs of rupees.

The final decision will be taken by a Citizen's Meeting to be held on the 13th when the Commissioner, Central Division, will preside.—A. P.

TOWARDS BRIGHTER BOMBAY.

Read next article on "What the Mayor of Bombay Says" in to-morrow's issue. Have you any constructive suggestions or criticism to make on this subject? If so, write to us briefly.

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Baroda Prajamandal Darbar Deadlock

HOW NEGOTIATIONS BROKE DOWN

Govt. Not To Yield On Question Of Reduction Of Land Revenue

(From Our Correspondent.)
BARODA, July 4.

The following statement has been issued by the General Secretary of the Baroda State Prajamandal in connection with the attempts that have been made until now by that Mandal in order to get the prohibitory orders, issued against three leaders of the Prajamandal, withdrawn.

"It has already been reported that the District Magistrate had offered terms of such a nature that the leaders were obliged to reject them. It was decided that the City Committee of the Prajamandal should, in co-operation with the other bodies call a citizens' meeting to protest against the action of the District Magistrate.

On June 25 a Government Pleader, Mr. Pradhan met the General Secretary and offered his friendly services with a view to end this unfortunate incident. Messrs. Sutaria Munshi and Pradhan met on the 26th morning; they were to have met again in the afternoon but Mr. Pradhan was kept engaged in the Secretariet Building so that they met on the 27th. It appeared from Mr. Pradhan's talk that the Government apprehended that the Prajamandal intended starting a no-tax campaign and to create ill feeling against the Government.

AT POLICE OFFICE.

Messrs. Munshi and Sutaria assured Mr. Pradhan that these fears were ill-founded, so they all went the office of the Police Commissioner and had a conference with him and the District Magistrate. In the initial stages it appeared as if the negotiations would fail because both the officials began to question the right of the Prajamandal to intervene between the Sarkar and the people. This being averted it was pointed out that the orders issued by the District Magistrate were hasty and uncalled for in view of the fact that in accordance with the resolution of the Prajamandal the scheme for starting economic inquiry had not been prepared and circulated. The next day—20th—these five gentlemen drew up the draft of the letter to be written by the three gentlemen on whom prohibitory orders had been issued, asking for the withdrawal of these orders."

DELICATE SITUATION.

"This draft was to be accepted after the Official had it approved by the Revenue Commissioner and the Prajamandal by its Working Committee. In view of this delicate situation the Prajamandal on its own initiative postponed the protest meeting of 30th. However, it was found that both the sides wanted to make alterations in the draft letter and it was obvious that the negotiations could not be continued.

"The Prajamandal decided to meet the higher authorities and the General Secretary requested the Revenue Commissioner for an interview. On the 2nd instant Dr. Sumant Mehta, the President and Mr. Sutaria met Mr. Mukerjee the Revenue Commissioner, and it was due to his sympathetic and tactful attitude that the draft letter to be signed by Messrs. Nikte and Maganbhai was prepared. Since this draft is acceptable to the Commissioner and the Prajamandal it is hoped that the prohibitory orders against the two leaders will be withdrawn.

HOPEFUL OUTLOOK.

"With regard to the draft prepared for Mr. Chunilal Shah it was found to be somewhat vague and liable to be interpreted differently. It was therefore decided that Mr. Shah's ordinary rights which all the citizens of Baroda have enjoyed until now of calling and meeting people in assembly, and of delivering lectures even for matters of land revenue should be safeguarded. It was decided that no ground should be left for future misunderstanding. At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Prajamandal, on the 3rd inst.; it was decided that if the fundamental rights of speech, assembly, writing etc., were not interfered with Mr. Shah should request the District Magistrate, according to the draft letter to withdraw the order issued against him. The General Secretary should prepare and write a letter to the Revenue Commissioner in which the whole matter should be made explicitly clear. This letter will be sent to-day (4th) and if that is accepted this serious question will be solved for the whole Raj. If it is not accepted the prohibitory order against Mr. Shah will remain, and the difficult situation will not be relieved. It has also been decided in the Committee meeting that in case other individuals are marked out for official anger they should be prepared to suffer with dignified quietness."

STATE GOVT. FIRM

Inquiries in authoritative circles reveal that the Government will not countenance any mass agitation regarding the reduction of land revenue either on general scale in State or in different talukas. It is understood that the Government has taken very firm stand in the matter. It is learnt from a reliable source that Mr. Nikte, in accordance with the terms agreed by both the parties has submitted the application to the District Magistrate. It is further stated that Mr. Maganbhai Patel, on his return to Baroda, would also do the same. Therefore, the question of withdrawal would be duly considered by the Government.

The situation seems to be quite clear regarding the present situation. Though there appears to be some obstacle in this settlement, the concensus of opinion is that a way could be found of the impasse if the whole situation could be handled with statesmanship and a little give-and-take adopted by either side.

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GRIEVANCES OF BHAGALPUR KISANS

District Magistrate's Assurance To Processionists

BHAGALPUR: (By Mail).

A Kisan procession consisting of about 200 people, hailing mostly from the neighbouring villages starting from the Dharmshala of Rai Bahadur Devi Prasad Dhandhania paraded on Tuesday last through the important thoroughfares of the Town and went shouting the usual slogans and went to the court compound where they were reported to have placed their various grievances before the District Magistrate who gave them a patient hearing and promised to help them in all legal manners. When told about the high handedness of the Zamindars and their amlas", the District Magistrate is reported to have assured them that he would be glad to consider their cases if specific and individual instances were brought to his notice.

The processionists then went round the roads surrounding the court compound and the Bar library and further went past the road passing by the Commissioner's bungalow.—United Press.

Agricultural Credit Officer Of Reserve Bank

BOMBAY: Monday.

Dr. Anwar Iqbal Qureshi informs the Associated Press that he has been appointed the Agricultural Credit Officer with the Reserve Bank of India and has taken charge of his duties.

Indian News From Here And There

INDIANS IN KENYA

Prominent Deputation To Visit India Shortly

(From Our Correspondent.)
ETAWAH, (By Mail.)

Information has been received in the office of the Local Indian Colonial Association that a deputation of several prominent Indians will shortly be visiting India from Kenya.

The deputation is expected to create favourable atmosphere in India and to impress upon the Government of India, to which the deputation is expected to make representations on the conditions of the Indians in that colony against the activities of Lord Francis Scott, the leader of the white settlers, who has gone to England to carry on propaganda for the demands of his community which are against the interests of the Indians in general.

It may be remembered that his visit has caused a split in the Indian community for a section of Indians and the Congress of East African Indians in particular think his visit as having of no importance to the demands of white community, which are however, contrary to the reports of his activities in London.

The sending to India of this deputation has been decided by the Indian Elected Members Organisation and has been supported by a large number of people.

CONDOLENCE FOR DR. ANSARI

At a special general meeting of the Transvaal Indian Congress (Pretoria Branch) was held recently to mourn the sad demise of Dr. Ansari and passed the following resolution:

"That this Congress deeply mourns the great loss India has sustained by the untimely death of Dr. Ansari and conveys their deep sympathy to Begam Ansari.

Progress Of Hubli Urban Co-op. Bank

(From Our Correspondent.)
HUBLI, July 4.

The 30th annual general meeting of the Hubli Urban Co-operative Bank was held, this afternoon, in the Bank's building. Rao Bahadur Valvekar presided. The directors' report and the balance sheet were presented and approved. The total working funds amounted to 791,000, of which 115,000 constituted Share Capital, 532,000 Deposits, 83,000 Reserve Fund and 14.000 the Bad Debt Fund. Investments included: 144.000 cash in hand with banks, 300,000 Government Securities, 83,000 other Securities, 248,000 loans to members and Societies.

Two directors Sjts. Apte and Mirji, who retired by rotation were re-elected.

PLIGHT OF TEXTILE INDUSTRY

City Mill Closed Down: Others May Follow Unless Conditions Improve

(From Our Correspondent).
AHMEDABAD, July 5.

The weather has cooled down and the sky generally remains cloudy. Off and on there are showers of rain almost everyday and the total rain fall has gone up to more than 8 inches.

The total number of deaths in the week ending on Thursday last was 216 of which 4 were due to small-pox, 5 to measles, 1 to meningitis and 22 to consumption. The death rate of the city is 29.35 per thousand.

The condition of mill industry is causing grave anxiety. The city mill, near Kankaria has been closed down and it is feared that two or three other mills will also have to be closed down unless conditions improve in the near future.

ESTATE AND FINANCE BROKERS

On Tuesday last a meeting was held to organise a body of estate and finance brokers under the presidentship of Mr. Joshi Girjashanker Harishanker. It was decided to start an association of Estate and Finance Brokers in Ahmedabad and a committee was appointed to frame rules and regulations for the association.

The presidential address of Sjt. Parmanand Kunverji Kapadia has created a stir in the Jain community. The conservative element has been greatly agitated by his views and there was a move to remove him from Jain Sangh but it seems that they are not supported by leaders of their community. Most of the youths of the community hold the same views (as Sjt. Parmanand and there is strong opposition.

The Ahmedabad municipality had asked Government to sanction a loan of Rs. 10 lakhs at 4 per cent. but Government has refused to sanction it. It was resolved in the municipal meeting of June 29 to inform the Government that the Municipality does not wish at present to raise the loan.

A special meeting of the municipal School Board was held on July 1 to consider the situation arising out of the increasing number of girls in High School and to find out a remedy. The Administration Officer, Mr. P. K. Desai, pointed out in his report that the number of girls in the school was 414 at the end of March and had now gone up to 615. He recommended the separation of the Middle School Standards and asked for sanction to hire a suitable building for a middle school and for staff and furniture. After some discussion it was resolved to control admissions and to send girls of middle school standards to Municipal Girls' Schools where the middle school standards are taught in primary schools and the High School Standards alone should be accommodated in the present building. For the time being the Administrative Officer was authorised to hire a new building and to purchase necessary furniture.

MILL STRIKE IN BEAWAR

Nearly 6,000 Workers Down Tools As Sequel To Wage-cut

(From A Correspondent.)
BEAWAR, July 2.

Nearly five to six thousand labourers of the local mills have been on strike since yesterday. The strike has been spontaneously resorted to as a protest against the wage-cutting process that has been going on in the local mills for some time. The step-motherly attitude of the mill owners is chiefly responsible for it. So far no untoward incident is reported from any quarter.

Yesterday morning the labourers went out in a huge procession and paraded the local bazars with red flags. In the evening they assembled at the mill gates and some of the youngsters are reported to have thrown stones on the black-leggers, but the timely arrival of the local police, since then reinforced by a fresh contingent from Ajmer, and also the presence of the local Extra Assistant Commissioner on the spot, had good effect on the mischief-mongers.

This morning Mr. J. Makhmoor, one of the local workers addressed two huge meetings of the strikers at different places notwithstanding torrential rain with the result that not only the Red Flag has been replaced by the black one but the workers have also made a solemn pledge to be absolutely non-violent and truthful in their struggle, that is rather forced upon them by unfortunate circumstances. Attempts are also being made to approach the District Authorities for timely intervention.

To-day all the three mills are closed and shall remain so for a week or more.

SENSATIONAL BOMB EXPLOSION.

(From Our Correspondent.)
PATNA, July 6.

A sensation prevailed in Patna City yesterday, when it is alleged, bomb exploded at about 10 in the morning, in a room in the house of one Ramkishun Lal, of Mohalla Khaje Kalanghat, a very thickly populated part of the City.

It is stated while Ramkisunlal's son, who is a student of the 10th class of Patna City School, was handling the bomb, an explosion occurred, resulting in serious injury to the boy who was immediately removed to the city hospital.

On the basis of a statement made by him several houses were searched by the police, and five students believed to be members of a group have been arrested.

FACILITIES FOR HARIKISHENLAL

July 16 Fixed For His Examination In People's Bank Case

LAHORE, July 6.

A division bench of the High Court composed of the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Din Mahomed passed orders in the application filed by Mr. Lala Harikishen Lal praying for a number of facilities being given him before he agreed to submit himself to public examination in connection with the affairs of the People's Bank, in liquidation. Their lordships rejected his prayers for an opportunity for cross-examination of the witnesses already examined in the court in this connection, for examination of the complete records of the case and a prayer for an order to the Press to publish his evidence verbatim.

Their Lordships, however, granted his prayer for payment for services to Counsel and clerk to the tune of Rs. 1,000 in all for his entire examination provided that Mr. Harkishen Lal agreed to reply to the Court questions properly. It might be stated that Mr. Harkishen Lal in the course of his application submitted on 29th June stated that without these facilities being granted it would not be possible for him to answer any question during his examination or defend himself against the charges.

July 16 was fixed for his examination which will be in public in accordance with the provision of section 196, Indian Companies' Act.—United Press.

TWO LAKHS FOR TRAVANCORE COUNCIL CHAMBER

TRIVANDRUM, July 6.

Allotment of Rs. 2,00,000 for the construction of the Travancore Council Chamber in the forthcoming Malabar Year was passed by the Standing Committee of the Travancore Legislative at its meeting on Saturday. The Chamber is intended to house the Travancore Legislature reconstituted in 1932.

The foundation stone of the new Council Chamber was laid by Lord Willingdon during his visit to Travancore as Viceroy.

TOWN PLANNING.

The Standing Finance Committee also agreed to a ten lakh provision for the Trivandrum Town Planning scheme in the forthcoming year. Non-official members stated that they were agreeable to the allotment for this scheme they could not pass the expenditure in the absence of information about the funds for the scheme. They agreed to the proposal being placed before the Legislature.—A.P.

Dewan Bahadur T. A. Ramalingam Chettiar M.L.C., Madras, has been invited by the Government of India to be a non-official adviser to Government in connection with the proposed revision of the Indo-Japanese Trade Agreement.

FATAL FALL FROM THIRD FLOOR

Sequel To Accident While Brushing Teeth

Chaturbhuj Ghelibhai residing at Dharmsi Bhagwanji Building was the victim of a fatal accident on Monday.

It is stated Ghelibhai was on the balcony of his quarters on the third floor of the building and he was brushing his teeth with some powdered tobacco.

He was seen leaning over the railing and seemed to have lost balance when he fell to the ground. He was removed to the G. T. Hospital where he was detained for treatment but died two hours thereafter.

Inspector McCarthy of the Princess Street police station visited the scene of the accident and made inquiries.

RAID IN BHULESHWAR

Alleged Receiver Of Satta Bets Arrested And Bailed Out

Deputy Inspector Hewson raided a room in Jadhavji Mansions in Bhuleshwar under the Gaming Act and arrested one Gaurishanker Shivram who was, it is alleged, receiving, satta bets.

The police in the course of their search found a number of alleged betting slips and cash.

The accused was later taken to the police station and offered bail.

A LOOK ROUND THE WORLD

Dangers Of Lifting Sanctions

THREAT TO BRITISH EMPIRE

"If the League decides to abandon sanctions, thereby recognizing tacitly or otherwise the Italian annexation of Abyssinia, it will die an ignominious death," writes Commander King-Hall in the "Star," London.

"Once the Sanctions are lifted, Italy will probably make a deal with the Germans over the colonial questions. Thus, by 1940, we may find a powerful Germany demanding colonies at the point of the bayonet, Italy threatening Malta, Kenya, Egypt and Palestine; and Japan menacing Hongkong.

In that hour, the security of the British Commonwealth of Nations and with it the liberties of 450 million human beings will be in grave jeopardy. Any one who has made a study of Imperial defence may think of the British prospects in those circumstances.

To kill the League, by abandoning sanctions is a short-sighted and immoral policy, likely to betray the democratic cause, alienate the Dominion of South Africa, aggravate the colour problem in Africa and convince the Americans that we are a bunch of unashamed hypocrites."

Leon Blum Will Succeed

"The opposition of financial and industrial circles against the projects of M. Blum will certainly be very active," writes the "Manchester Guardian." Manchester.

M. Blum declares that he has no intention of devaluating the Franc and that he will obtain the necessary funds for the realisation of his programme by means of expansion of credit and by taxes on the rich and against the fiscal frauds.

Here is an orthodox programme from the Socialist and Communist point of view which tends to evade the responsibilities of devaluation.

"The Industrial will soon find himself heavily taxed while the cost of production of his commodities will rise owing to increase in the salary of the employees.

Experience, however, proves that such a system is quite feasible and there is no reason France or Great Britain should not succeed in realising what Czechoslovakia and Peru have already achieved."

Japan Drawn Into Eur-Asian Balance

"Japan is being more and more drawn into the Eur-Asian balance partly as a result of our communication and partly of the struggle between Communism and Fascism," declares the Stockholm Twingen, Stockholm.

"Soviet Russia constantly fears a simultaneous attack by Germany and Japan, while Japan herself is afraid that if Russia continues developing her already enormous strength, she may eventually defeat the Japanese ambitions to dominate the Far East and may thereby become master of China in place of Japan.

If she could make sure of a simultaneous attack by Germany she might possibly attempt to drive Russia back to lake Baikal before it was too late.

On the other hand, Germany is afraid of the growing power of the vast slav and Bolshevist mass to the east, a power that can fight in two ways with armies and aeroplanes and with communist propaganda behind the lines."

Fields, Factories And Workshops

"Staggering" Profits For Managing Agents

Prospectus Of Amalgamated Electricity Co.

Shareholders' Association Analyses Its Features

The Amalgamated Electricity Company (Belgaum), Limited has been formed to acquire and work the Belgaum Electric Licence, the Bulsar Electric Licence, the Bhiwandi Electric Supply Station and the Shahpur Electric Licence.

These concerns are to be acquired for a cash consideration of Rs. 12 lakhs to be paid to the vendors, the Consolidated Electric Agencies Limited, who are also the managing agents of the company.

According to the committee of the Bombay Shareholders' Associations which has issued a circular on the subject Rs. 4,50,000 of this money will go into the pockets of the managing agents, representing a profit of over 58 per cent., which the committee describes as "staggering."

The circular draws attention to other features of the prospectus and advises investors to study the points mentioned before applying for shares.

Staggering Profit

The Committee of The Bombay Shareholders' Association invite the attention of the investing public to the following points in the prospectus:—

The prospectus contains the following statement:—

"The aggregate consideration for the transfer to the Company by the vendors of the said undertaking as going concern is a sum of Rs. 12,00,000/- to be paid in cash to them as follows:—

"Rs. 7,10,000/- to The Belgaum Electricity Co. Ltd., Rs. 3,10,000/- to The Bulsar Electricity Co., Ltd., Rs. 1,80,000-- to The Bhiwandi Electric Supply Co., Ltd. Out of the said respective considerations payable to the Vendors, the sums of about Rs. 2,75,000/-, Rs. 90,000/- and Rs. 60,000/- respectively represent the amounts payable to the said Belgaum Electric Supply Co., Ltd., Bulsar Electric Supply Co. Ltd., and The Bhiwandi Electric Supply Co., Ltd., for the sale of their respective undertakings as going concerns the balance being the consideration payable in respect of the expenditure incurred by each of them on their respective lands buildings, plant, mains, cables, services and equipments and other expenditure incurred or to be incurred by them upto the 30th June, 1936".

58 Per Cent on Sale.

It is clear that as a result of this floatation the Consolidated Electric Agencies Ltd., who are the owners of the selling companies and the managing agents of this company, are making a profit of Rs. 4,25,000/-. In other words, on the basis of the expenditure of Rs. 7,75,000/- which is stated to have been incurred in respect of the lands, buildings, plant etc. of the selling companies the Consolidated Electric Agencies Ltd., are making a profit of over 58 per cent. from the sale of the undertakings.

On the face of it the profit made is staggering. Right from the commencement of this company 34 per cent. of its capital goes into the pockets of managing agents. If the company is to be conducted on sound lines in future the loss of this capital would have to be written off from the annual profits which would naturally affect distribution of dividends at least for some time to come.

The public will therefore do well to consider these facts with care in their calculations while considering the figures about distributable profits contained in the prospectus.

Unaudited Accounts.

Coming to the expenditure of buildings, plants etc., the Committee desire to point out that the same has not been certified by a competent person. The Committee also find that although the financial year of the selling Companies expired on 31st March last, their accounts duly audited have not been placed before the public. These accounts would have enabled the public to understand the position with regard to the assets sold to this Company for the above amount.

From the prospectus however it appears that the assets are being bought by this Company on the basis the expenditure stated to have been incurred in respect of the same by the selling companies This implies that in arriving at the value of the assets sold no allowance has been made for depreciation that has already taken place. It is strange that no such allowance has been made especially when these Companies have been working for some years past and the vendors have earned profits from the use of these assets. It comes to this that that the vendors are making an addition-

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For Holidays With Pay For Indian Workers

Mr. Chelvapathy Chetty's Speech At Geneva

GENEVA, (By Air Mail.)

The following is the text of the speech in support of the proposed Convention on Holidays with Pay delivered on the 23rd instant at the 20th session of the I.L. Conference, by Mr. G. Chelvapthy Chetty, Adviser to the Indian Workers' Delegate to the Conference:—

"Coming as I do from the ranks of Indian workers, my knowledge of the English language is limited and I hope you will show me some indulgence if my remarks are not expressed as well as they should be.

"I wish to support the proposed Convention on holidays with pay. In India, where modern industrialism is still recent and hours of work are unduly long, the average worker retains his attachment for the village of his origin. Life in a big city, always exacting and tiring, particularly in the tropics, is made more so by the lack of proper housing and other conditions, which makes home life and family life nearly impossible. It is not surprising therefore that many workers leave their work occasionally in order to return to their native villages. In most places there is what is known as "absenteeism" and also a large turnover. Regarded from the worker's point of view the situation is equally unsatisfactory, for when he wanted to get back to work on his return from the village, he usually finds that he cannot get any job; so acute is the unemployment situation and so large are the exactions of the jobber.

SUCCESSFUL EXPERIMENT

"It is with a view to overcoming these difficulties that a few years ago a system of holidays with pay was introduced in some of the State services and also in a few private undertakings. Although this was done only to a very limited extent, the step has already shown, as was pointed out by the Royal Commission on Labour, that it tends to make the labour force settled, to improve discipline and efficiency and to reduce absenteeism appreciably.

"If this Convention is passed at this session of the Conference and is ratified by the Government of India, I am sure it will make the workers in that country more efficient and contented.

"I would appeal to Sir Bhupen-

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RICE CULTIVATION IN HYDERABAD

Favourable Seasonal Conditions

(From Our Own Correspondent)

HYDERABAD Dn. (By Mail)

The final memorandum on the cultivation of rice crop in the Nizam's Dominions for the year 1935-36, as prepared by the Statistics Department, states that on an average of five years ending 1933-34, the area under rice represented 1.11 percent of the total area under rice in India.

The final forecast issued recently says that "the area is estimated at 1,063,929 acres, as against 1,183,564 acres during the same period in the previous year, showing a decrease of 119,635 acres or 10.11 per cent. And when compared with the third forecast it shows an increase of 15,37 per cent due to receipt of more returns for tabi.

The outturn is estimated at 335,719 tons, compared with 355,034 tons during the corresponding period of the previous year showing a decrease of 19,315 tons or 5.44 per cent. The yield has improved in contrast to acreage as a result of favourable seasonal conditions during the growing and subsequent stages as already forecasted in a previous report."

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large models of lengths of rivers could be installed.

The opinion was expressed that no single province could or should take on experimental work of that nature, and that it should be undertaken by special Research Station financed from the centre to be organized by practical experts.

Poona was suggested as admirably suited as a site for such a research station having the necessary facilities and a good climate. The existing Research Station has an ample supply of water from Lake Fife without the necessity of pumping. In addition, the discharge was free from fluctuation and the water was clear for ten months of the year - an important factor when different grades of silt have to be used in experiments. There is also the advantage that it is close to the meteorological station which renders valuable assistance.

CHANGE IN RIVER-BEDS

Examples of the loss and destruction caused in India by changes in the beds of rivers were given. It was emphasized that except in cases where very valuable properties were involved, no protective measures were taken, because of excessive cost. In such cases, therefore, the local people were generally compelled to leave the place to the mercy of the river. From this point of view, it would be a matter of great public welfare, if protective measures of reasonable expense could be thought out to prevent the erosion of rivers in this way. That was why the subject of controlling the winding of rivers deserved consideration.

The Board resolved that:—

Tortuosity of rivers and their training by means of embankments should be considered at the next meeting, at which lines should be considered on which further investigation and research were necessary.

At present, the Punjab, as in previous years, has the largest irrigated area totalling nearly 11½ million acres. Madras comes next with about 7½ million acres followed by Sind with nearly 6 million acres and the United Provinces with nearly 4 million acres. The total capital outlay on these works is in the neighbourhood of

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Yet Another Imperial Expert For Us!

Government Create New Department To Deal With Husbandry And Dairying Problems

SIMLA, (By Mail).

With a view to keep the developments of dairying and animal products on proper lines the Government of India have decided to separate the organisation under the Imperial Dairy Expert. Until 1st April 1936 it formed only a section of the Imperial Institute of Agricultural Research, Pusa, but now with the Imperial Dairy Export as its head the organisation will deal directly with the Education, Health and Lands Department of the Government of India.

According to the estimates of experts the value of annual turnover of animal husbandry products in India amounts to the staggering figure of over 2,000 crores of rupees. It was felt for long that the machinery under Government was inadequate to guide the destiny of such an important industry. Experience in other countries has proved that if any headway is to be made with the improvement of cattle the dairy industry must receive urgent consideration. be cause unless proper market is established and better returns obtained for the increased yield of milk from the improved dairy cow, there would be no incentive for the stockbreeder to improve his stock. The fact that milk and milk products are indispensable in the promotion of the health of the nation has now been prominently focussed on public attention by the utterances of the Viceroy and by the various experiments carried out by experts on human nutrition. Members of Assembly too have shown their desire for developing the dairy industry through questions asked on the floor of the House during the Delhi Session of the Assembly.

SIX LAKHS SCHEME

The six lakhs scheme will provide for National Research Creamery where processes of manufacturing evaporated and powdered milk, casein, etc., on a factory scale will be experimented on and standardised thus providing a stimulous to industrial dairying. The need for such an institution can be gathered from the fact that India today imports milk products in the form of condensed milk and milk powder and other dry milk preparations of the value of about Rs. 2 crores annually. The scheme referred to above will also aim at the expansion of the Central Institute of Dairy Husbandry Bangalore by providing, as far as possible, with extra lands, laboratory facilities, etc. With a nucleus like this for the new Dairy Department and the various other schemes sanctioned by the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research, a vigorous start has been made, and very important developments are contemplated in the near future. The standard of training given in Dairying at present is to be raised so that it will be as high as any given in any other part of the world.

The advisory and propaganda work will be much more intensified to meet with the full demand of the trade and in order that the developments can be efficiently carried out the Government of India have approached the Provincial Governments for their full co-operation. Sub-stations to the main institution located in the more important parts of the country are contemplated in the future development programme, so that the dairy industry will have that guidance and support from the State which is so necessary for its proper developments.—A. P. I.

Irrigation Problems Of India

Many Important Schemes Held Up For Lack Of Funds!

The following are extracts from a Press Note which has been issued from Simla:—

A new blue book concerning the lives and prosperity of over 50 million Indians and vast areas of valuable land made its first appearance on June 27.

This publication summarizes some of the work that has been done and is in progress for solving India's irrigation problems. It is issued by the Central Board of Irrigation for India as a record of the technical work done during 1934-35, and is the first report of its kind.

When it is realized that the total amount of land cultivated in India dependent on irrigation is now about 40 million acres (31 million acres in British India alone), and that well over 50 million people are in this way employed, the importance of irrigation to India's prosperity can be gauged. The value of crops coming annually from irrigated areas is in the neighbourhood of Rs. 100 crores, which, as the land was mainly desert or uncultivatable formerly, is an enormous addition to the nation's wealth, apart from protecting vast areas from the ravages of famine.

WATER-LOGGING

Practically, all this work involving the building of over 75,000 miles of canals and distributories —has been developed in the last 60 or 70 years. (We question the statement! Editor, Chronicle!)

When the present irrigation works are fully developed, the area benefited will be about 50 million acres (the area commanded by these works will of course be approximately twice as great)

Perhaps, the most important problem facing those responsible for irrigation work at the moment, is that of water-logging, which results in land being rendered useless for cultivation purposes. This is clearly recognised, also the fact that the problem calls for urgent treatment. Numerous experiments are now in progress in different provinces in a fight against water-logging which, at present, has put out of use thousands of acres of good land.

SEEPAGE

In the Punjab, for example, for ascertaining losses from canals, tanks, have been built at a different points and the amount of seepage or water-loss from these tanks calculated experiments have also been carried out with different soils to decide the rate at which water seeps through them.

In the United Provinces other experiments have been made with various materials for lining the beds of canals to stop seepage. In this connection such mixtures as Kankar lime, molasses and sugar factory by-products were tried out and are under observation. Tables were prepared showing how much water was lost with different kinds of soils in which canals are constructed.

CEMENT SANDWICH

Bombay has also gone into this question deeply, and a detailed investigation of about 1,025 sq. miles of kalar lands in Sind was made during the year. In the Khairpur tract, water-logging was kept under check by means of powerful pumps.

Discussing the most efficient lining for irrigation channels, it was reported that the use of two layers of brick tiles with a cement "sandwich" in between was proving efficient. The disadvantage of this method as with others is, however, the cost. In the United Provinces a three inch lining of brick in cement had been used on small channels. The Board resolved that although some of the types of lining already experimented with had proved satisfactory in particular cases, there was still need for further research to evolve an efficient and cheap lining for small channels.

MODELS FOR TESTS

One of the most important steps forward is the building of models in order to test out various theories for the control of rivers. Details were given of the work done at Poona of a model of the river Ganges. This model represents the course of the Ganges for about 20 miles in the neighbourhood of the Hardinge Bridge. There have been indications that the river might change its course and affect the flow of water approaching the bridge with disastrous results. The experiments had shown that by taking a certain line of action, the bridge could be saved. In this way, a great deal of money, which might have been spent on useless work, had been saved.

The value of this work led to the discussion of the necessity for an experimental station where

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Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON 13 POINTS UP

Trade Buying On Sound Textile Situation

GOLD QUIET BUT SILVER HIGHER

Wheat, Linseed, Tin, Rubber All Firm

BOMBAY, July 6.

Monday crossrates moved within a narrow range.

N. Y. COTTON FIRM.

New York cotton displayed decidedly improved sentiment on trade buying influenced by sound textile situation. The closing tone was firm. .....

SILVER HIGHER.

London gold was quiet but silver was slightly higher.

COMMODITIES FIRM.

Wheat and linseed ruled firm tin was very strong. Subber also moved upward.

SECURITIES ACTIVE.

The London Stock Exchange was quiet and inactive in the absence of any important enquiry. Giltedged securities were active but the enquiry slowed down later.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

OCTOBER 1936

New York, July 6.

Previous closing	11.70
To-day's opening	11.76
Difference	+.06
To-day's closing	11.83
Difference	+.13

LIVERPOOL COTTON

OCTOBER 1936

Liverpool, July 6.

Previous closing	6.37
To-day's opening	6.37
Difference	Nil.
To-day's closing	6.39
Difference	+.02

BROACH EXPECTATION

April May ..... Rs. 216-8

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, July 6.

Cotton displayed decidedly improved sentiment on trade buying influenced by sound textile situation which partly offset better weather reports while considerable foreign enquiry was also in evidence with prices showing an upward tendency.

Operations on the whole were somewhat restrained with traders awaiting release of Government bureau figures of acreage.

Trading in October began at 11.76 i.e. 6 points higher than previous closing. Prices advanced on higher Liverpool cables and trade and foreign buying influenced by better textile reports with October gradually rising to 11.80 with a very steady tendency.

New York cotton finally closed at 11.83 with a rise of 13 points for October delivery.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, July 6.

The following were the opening ranges:—

October	(11.61/11.60) 11.78/11.76
December	(11.63/11.62) 11.81/11.80
January	(11.63/11.62) 11.81/11.80

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, July 6.

The following were the rates at 12-15 p.m.:—

American July	(6.77) 6.78
American October	(6.37) 6.39
Egyptian July	(9.50) 9.54
Egyptian October	(9.41) 9.45

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, July 6.

There was no business at night.

JUTE SHARE STATIONARY

Coals Steady And Teas Dull

CALCUTTA, July 6.

Jutes generally remained stationary and transactions were also limited. Coals continued steady, but business confined to small amounts. Teas remained dull and almost neglected. In miscellaneous apart from usual demand for engineering shares, there was little to report. Government securities continued steady. Following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities:—Two and threefourth per cent new loan 1948/52 100/7; three and a half per cent Government paper 99/6; three and a half per cent loan 1947/50 107/4; four per cent loan 1960/70 115/6; five per cent loan 1945/55 121 small lots; five per cent loan 1940/43 110/15/6; five per cent U. P. bonds 1944 115/4 small lot.

Banks:—Imperial fully paid 1580 small lot; Reserve bank 135.

Coals:—Amalgamated 22/12; Bengal 270; Burrakur 13/4; Bokaro and Ramgur 11/12; Equitable 30/12; New Beerbhoom 11/12; Standard 33/2 small lot.

Jutes:—Anglo India 382; Champdany 157 small lots; Hukumchand 9/11; Howrah 47/8; Kinnison 532 small lot; National 20/10; Union 362.

Miscellaneous:—Burma Corporation 6/14; Bhagaa Bhagalpur electric 7/12; Bengal telephone ordy 20/14; Jubbulpore electric 13/4; Mirzapur electric 4/14; Shahjahanpur electric 5/12; Bengal Iron 6; Britannia building and Iron 3/4; Burn and company ordy 254/8; Indian Galvanizing 11; Indian iron and steel 9/5; British India corporation 3/11; do pref 147; Titaghur paper defd 11 ex div; Midnapore Zemindary 60/8; Bengal Timbet 188 small lot; Bengal Assam steamship ordy 225, Port Shipping 18/8.

Sugar:—Cawnpore ordy 36/10; do pref 168/8.

Teas:—Bishnauth 24/8 small odd lots; Sonai river 17/8.

Debenture: five and a half per cent 1935/50 great eastern hotel 105/8.—A.P.

EXCHANGES

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotations

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, July 6.

Previous closing	5.02 7/32
To-day's opening	5.02 1/4
To-day's closing	5.02 1/4

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, July 6.

Previous closing	5.02 1/16
To-day's opening	5.02 1/8
To-day's closing	5.02 3/16
Difference	+.00 1/8

FRANC RATE

London, July 6.

Previous closing	75.73
To-day's opening	75.71
To-day's closing	75.75
Difference	+.02

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, July 6.

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 5.02 1/8 and then fell to 5.02 1/16 on the lack of interest.

The sterling dollar crossrate closed at 5.02 3/16.

Franc opened at 75.71 and remained practically steady with very small variations.

The sterling franc crossrate closed at 75.75.

LONDON SILVER

London, July 6.

	Last price	To-day's price
Spot	19 1/2d.	19 9/16d.
Forward	19 1/2d.	19 9/16d.

The market was quiet.

LONDON GOLD

London, July 6.

Gold per fine ounce (£6-19-1 1/2) £6-18-1 1/2

DISCOUNTS

London, July 6.

3 months (5/8 to 5/8 per cent) 15/16 to 15/16 per cent

4 months (11/16 to 3/4 per cent) 11/16 to 3/4 per cent

6 months (3/4 to 3/4 per cent) 3/4 to 3/4 per cent.

CROSS RATES

London, July 6. 3-30 p.m.

London on Bombay	(1-6 1/8) 1-6 1/8
Paris on Bombay	(5.71 3/4) 5.71 1/2
New York on Bombay	(37.94) 37.94
Berlin on Bombay	(0.94 1/8) 0.93 7/8
London on Milan	(63.75) 63.75
London on Shanghai	(1-2 13/32) 1-2 3/8
London Kobe	(1-2 1/16) 1-2 1/16

BOMBAY BULLION

Bombay, July 6.

Silver opened quiet at Rs. 48/8, 48/8 and 48/10. The market kept steady on scattered support but the general enquiry was slow. However prices later improved on better demand and covering influenced by steadier London cables and closed steady at Rs. 48/10, 48/10 and 48/12.

Gold opened quiet but steady at Rs. 34/5, 34/5/3 and 34/5/6. The market was slightly active on scattered local buying but in the absence of any important movements in foreign exchanges movements were narrow. Prices closed steady at Rs. 34/5/3, 34/5/6 and 34/5/9.

COMMODITIES

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, July 6.

Liverpool wheat opened firm with July unquoted and October 7s 1/2. The market was very active on good outside buying influenced by the Canadian brought situation and better American reports.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, July 6.

Chicago wheat prices were not received to-day.

LONDON MARKETS

London, July 6.

The rates at 3-30 p.m were as follows.

METALS.

Tin (£175 buyers £175 1/2 sellers. Barely steady) £180 buyers £181 sellers. Steady.

Lead (£15 5/16 buyers £15 3/8 sellers. Steady) £15 3/8 buyers £15 7/16 sellers. Steady.

Electrolytic Copper (£40 3/4 to £41 1/4) £40 3/4 to £41 1/4

Glasgow Iron (£79) £79

SILVER CABLES

Bombay, July 6.

The following cable information was received from London to-night:—

India bought. China sold. Small business. Market quiet.

JUTE.

New Crop July August (£17 sellers) £16 7/8 value.

Dunlop June (£21) £20 3/4

Lightning June (£19) £18 1/2

TEA

Indian Pekoe (0-11 1/2) 0-11 1/2

Indian Pekoe higher (1-3 1/2) 1-3 1/2

Ceylon Pekoe (0-11 1/4) 0-11 1/4

Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-9) 1-9

RUBBER

Spot (7 11/16) 7 3/4 paid and value.

Forward (7 13/16) 7 13/16 paid and buyers.

LINSEED.

Castorseed Bombay July August (£12 3/4 sellers) £12 13/16 sellers.

Linseed Calcutta July (£13 sellers) £13 1/8 sellers.

Linseed La Plata July August (£11 5/16 sellers) £11 5/16 sellers.

Groundnuts Coromandal July (£14 15/16 sellers) £15 sellers.

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, July 6.

	Rs. a. p.
Wheat September	4 9 6
Wheat May 1937	4 11 6
Linseed September	7 11 3
Linseed May 1937	7 4 9

The market was steady.

Bank Of Baroda, Limited

The net profit of the Bank of Baroda Ltd., for the half year ended 30th, June 1936, subject to audit, including the sum of Rs. 79,128-12-11 brought forward amounts to Rs. 2,73,630-7-2. The Directors have resolved to declare an ad-interim dividend at the rate of 10 p.c. p.a. free of income tax on the paid up capital which will absorb Rs. 1,50,000 and to carry forward the balance of Rs. 1,23,630-7-2 to the next account.

Sentiment Bright But Business Restricted In Stock Exchange

RUBBER AND TIN SHARES FIRM GERMAN BONDS EASIER

Wall Street Unsettled And Erratic

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LONDON, July 6.

On the exchange the sentiment was bright but weekend political developments discouraged marked expansion of business. Among foreign issues Germans were easier. Danzigs were purely nominal while rubber and tin shares hardened in sympathy with respective commodities.

Tin was especially firm on unconfirmed rumours of the formation of a speculative pool together with anticipations among a few traders of international committees' announcement that Bolivias arrears of output would be distributed among other signatories although the net production would remain unchanged.

Wheat was strong and active in sympathy with American markets and bullish weather.

Wall Street was unsettled and erratic.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, July 6.

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £98 1/4

PREVIOUS CLOSING RATES.

Thursday, June 25 £97 3/4
Friday, June 26, £97 7/8
Monday, June 29, £97 7/8
Tuesday, June 30, £97 7/8
Wednesday, July 1, £98
Thursday, July 2 £98 1/8
Friday, July 3 £98 1/4.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, July 6. 3-30 p.m.

General business quiet but some good features giltedged securities and home industrials in general after being firmer now easier Kaffir and internationals firm rubber shares steady.

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consol (£85 1/4) £85 1/8.

3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£107 1/2) £107 1/8

4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£109 1/8) £109 1/8

5 per cent Indian Loan (£117 1/4) £117 1/4

3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£106 1/8 £106 1/8

4 per cent Victory Bonds (£115 1/2) £115 5/8

INDUSTRIALS

British Celanese 2nd Preference (19-10 1/2 19-10 1/2

Marks and Spencer Splits Share (£4 5/8) £4 5/8

Hydro Electric (£7 3/8) £7 1/4

Musical Industries (24-9) 25-0

Princhin Johneon (48-3) 48-3

Imperial Chemical (39-0) 39-0

Imperial Chemical Ordinary (9-4 1/2) 9-4 1/2

Woolsworth New Ford (135-4 1/2) 135-4 1/2

Realisation 1930 (£91) £89

Dunlop Rubber (34-4 1/2) 34-4 1/2

University Ordinary (33-9) 33-9.

Ford Motors (...-0) 31-0

Cable Wires (£6 1/2) £6 1/2

British American Tobacco (116-10 1/2) £116-3

Camera A (£9) £8 7/8

Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (158-9) 158-9

P and O S N Company Defd (21-3) 21-3

Distillers (101-6) 102-0 Ex. Div.

Bred and Dyers (7-6) 7-6

British Celanese (10-7 1/2) 10-7 1/2

J and P Coates Ordinary (51-3) 50-9

Courtaulds Ordinary (50-4 1/2) 49-7 1/2

Fine Cotton Spinners (6-1 1/2) 6-1 1/2

Western Limited Ordinary (27-4 1/2) 27-4 1/2

Inter Nickels (£48 3/4) £49 5/8

Bengal Iron and Steel (8-6) 8-6

Tata Iron and Steel (£102 1/2) £102 1/2

INDIAN LOANS

London, July 6. 3-30 p.m.

3 per cent New Indian Loan (£101) £101

3 1/2 per cent Indian (£98) £98

4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950/55 (£115 1/2) £115 1/2

4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (£118) £118

4 per cent Indian 1946/53 (£110) £110

5 per cent Indian 1943-47 (£109 3/4) £109 7/8

5 1/2 per cent New Indian 1954-82 (£106 1/2) £106 1/2

AUSTRALIAN LOANS.

5 per cent Australian Loan (£114 1/2) £114 1/2

TEA SHARES.

Assam Company (19-0) 18-6 Ex Div.

Donaro Tea (43-9) 43-0

Empire of India Ceylon (28-9) 28-9

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo Dutch Rubber (27-7 1/2) 28-7 1/2 Ex Div.

Gula Kelampong (26-3) 27-6

Rubber Plant Inv. Trust (32-0) 32-0

JUTE SHARES.

Bangalore (£8 3/4) £8 3/4

MINING SHARES

Nandy (62-6) 62-6

Burma Corporation (9-7 1/2) 9-7 1/2

Rio Tintos (£14) £13 5/8

East Rand Proprietors (63-9) 63-9

Rand Imam (£9 1/4) £9 1/8

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£14 3/4) £14 3/4

Goddar New (£10 1/4) £10 1/4

Moddar New (41-3) 41-3

Sub Nigel (£12) £12

Spring Mines Split Shares (39-9) 39-0

Union Corporation (£9) £9

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (38-9) 38-9

Anglo Iranian (81-3) 81-3

Burma Oil (93-4 1/2) 93-4 1/2

Mexican Eagle (24-9) 24-3

Shell Transport (95-7 1/2) 95-7 1/2

Royal Dutch (£36) £36 1/2

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western (£47 1/4) £47 1/2

L M Ford (£22 5/8) £22 5/8

L N E R Defd (£5) £5

Southern Dutch (£21 1/2) £21 1/2

London Paris 5 per cent (£134) £135

London Board G Stock (£104) £104

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, July 6.

The following were the opening rates:—

General Motors (dol 67 3/4) dol 69 3/8

Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 33 1/4) dol 33 5/8.

U Steel Common dol 58 3/4) dol 59 3/4

U S Steel Preference (dol 125) dol 124 1/2

MONSOON STRENGTHENS IN LOWER BURMA

Rainfall Will Increase In Konkan

POONA, July 6.

The monsoon has strengthened in Lower Burma and Bengal and conditions are unsettled at the head of the Bay of Bengal. The monsoon is also strong in the Gangatic Plain, East Gujarat, and the Punjab and is extending to Kashmir but remains weak elsewhere. Rainfall is nearly general in Lower Burma, Bengal, Orissa, Bihar, East United Provinces, and North and East Punjab, Konkan, local in Upper Burma. Assam, Chota Nagpur, West United Provinces, West Central India, Central Provinces, Southwest Punjab, Kashmir and Gujarat.

A few falls occurred in Northwest Frontier Province. East Rajputana, Bombay Deccan, Malabar and Southeast Madras.

CHIEF AMOUNTS OF RAINFALL ARE:—

Sialkot 7 inches, Amherst, Gwa, Purnea and Gorakhpur 4 each, Kyaukpyu, Akyab, Dehra Dun, Mussoorie, and Ahmedabad 3, Cox's Bazar, Gogra, Dinajpur, Jaipaiguri, Darbhanga, Dharampore and Rawalpindi 2.

FORECAST:— Rainfall will decrease in Gujarat and United Provinces, continue widespread in the Punjab, Northeast India and Lower Burma, and increase in central parts of the country, Konkan, Northwest Frontier and Kashmir.

HEAVY RAINFALL WARNING

Moderate to heavy rain is likely to occur locally round the head of the Bay of Bengal and in and near the western Himalayas and extend into Orissa during the next 48 hours.—A. P.

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 6-7-1936.

Changed of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours —.030 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 82.5 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 78.0 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 87.7 degrees 1.6 (above normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 78.4 degrees 1.6 (above normal).

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 81 p.c.

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. SW.

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 14 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 205 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 32 miles per hour.

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10). 7

Rainfall in 24 hours 0.08 inches.

Total rainfall during the month 1.60 inches.

Total rainfall during the year 34.63 inches.

Weather Remarks—Rain showers.

Earthquake Report.—An earthquake shock of Moderate intensity at its epicentral region apparently near Phillipine Islands was recorded by the seismographs at the Colaba Observatory at 0h. 35m. (I.S.T.) on Monday the 6th July 1936.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 6-7-36.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 83.0 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 29.95 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.74 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

BYCULLA CONGRESS EXECUTIVE

BOMBAY, July 6.

The General Secretaries of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee announce that the following members have been elected to form the Executive Committee of the E Ward (Byculla) District Congress Committee.

Messrs. R. K. Achrekar, ex-officio, Abdul Hamid, ex-officio, K. L. Borkar, ex-officio, R. D. Ramand, V. R. Tulla, S. C. Lamge, B. S. Chilap, J. D. Balsaraf, P. R. Rane, K. B. Kubal, P. A. Parab, R. S. Prabhu, Vaijappa Shanbhag, R. S. Chavan, L. G. Varhadi, J. J. Choksey, N. B. Parulekar, Sardar Pratapsingh, Nijanand Atmanandswami, S. V. Pupala, S. V. Patil, V. J. Vabale, A. B. Lobo.

The first meeting of the new Executive Committee of the E Ward (Byculla) District Congress Committee will be held on Wednesday, July 8, at 7 p.m. (S.T.) at the Congress House, to elect office-bearers and to transact other business permitted by the Chair.

INDIA'S MESSENGER TO P. E. N. CONGRESS

Hearty Send-Off To Madame Wadia By Bombay Centre

"May you never be poor; may you never be weary; go with God and come back to us," with these words Mrs. Sarojini Naidu bade farewell to Madame Sophia Wadia who is going to Buenos Aires, as the representative of India at the International P. E. N. Congress to be held there.

In this connection a meeting of the P. E. N. Centre was held at the National Medical College on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Naidu presided.

Mrs. Naidu said that 42 nations, each with its own culture, each with its own literature, each with its own message were going to assemble at Buenos Aires. India must send her own special message to this Congress. What was it to be? In spite of her great diversity of languages, India, where the story-teller has been the wandering university, is essentially one and united.

Indian literature is wide in its range, high in its altitude; it embraces all human emotions, the sorrow and the suffering, the triumph and joy of the human heart.

The real legislators of the world are those who deal in words. The real immortals are the singers and seers that deal in the enduring medium of human expression. Their only aim was to bring about human welfare and brotherhood That was the aim of all human effort

INDIA'S MESSAGE

It was here Mrs. Naidu said, that India had a special message to give. Fresh as the dawn, yet old as the oldest emotion, that message consisted in one word "Shanti", "Shanti".

Mrs. Naidu said that though Madame Wadia came as a stranger she had become so much of their own that, they were content to entrust India's mission to her. She could go out there and tell them that she brought the message of two of the greatest exponents of peace and goodwill—Mahatma Gandhi. and Dr. Rabindranath Tagore.

Both of them have sent messages. Gandhiji has wired: "My good wishes accompanying Madame Sophia Wadia in her mission."

Dr. Tagore has wired: "Madame Wadia carries India's greetings to distant shores and will help to tie the bonds of fellowship between the dreamers of dreams and the singers of songs of the New World and the Old."

POWER OF THE PEN.

Madame Wadia speaking next said that Internationalism, to-day, was a low ebb. The failure of the League of Nations had been so complete and so sad that people had become pessimistic and doubted if there was a practical way of achieving brotherhood in the world.

But some of them had never believed that the politician and the diplomat was going to bring peace. In fact where uncontrolled by cultural influences their work was bound to make for disintegration.

The pen is mightier than the sword and the P. E. N. was better fitted to achieve where the League of Nations had failed.

Religions have become impotent and have become instruments for sectarian politicians for putting them to their own use.

Scientists have sold their souls to their Governments and are busy with destructive inventions such as poison gas.

But the writers alone have remained true to their task and have fought on in the face of exile and sufferings.

To bring these men together was the object of the P. E. N. The Indian Centre had become the focal point for the various languages of India and was attempting to bring about their unification.

The P. E. N. had a liberal internationalism and, it was on that basis that they were meeting at Buenos Aires where she was carrying India's spiritual message.

ROLE OF INDIAN CULTURE.

Mr. Munshi said that in the face of gun-powder and poison gas with militant Nationalisms and Mussolinis and Hitlers breathing fire one doubted whether there was anything common to all humanity.

But literature has no national boundaries, it has no parochial outlook. Efforts were often made to force literary currents to artificial moulds. But literature was the one branch of activity that could not be coerced a region of freedom and a source of perennial happiness.

Then Mr. Munshi demonstrated by various examples the cultural indivisibility of India. He spoke of the formation of the Bharathiya Sahitya Parishad whose aim was to bring together the literatures of all the languages of India. The P. E. N. was the international equivalent of the Parishad.

The real and true thing in life was to conquer misery and in that matter India had a great message for the world and Madame Wadia would prove an able exponent of the message.

Mrs. Naidu winding up the proceedings wished success to Madame Wadia's mission.

COMPLETE HARTAL IN DELHI

NEW DELHI, July 6.

A complete Hartal, such as has hardly before been witnessed in Delhi, is being observed to-day to express sympathy with the Tonga strikers. The strikers, mounted on the backs of their animals, with red flags, and Congress workers with tri-colour flags are parading the streets, appealing to all business houses to suspend business. Only doctors are allowed to keep their dispensaries open.

The railway company's conveyances, however, are plying and this it is feared, might cause some trouble, since in certain instances the younger element is trying to stop trams. Two persons were arrested this morning for alleged causing obstruction to trams. Police constables on horseback and on foot are patrolling all markets, watching the situation.

A deputation will wait to-day on the Deputy Commissioner while an informal meeting of the Delhi Municipal Committee will be held to-day to consider the question. A public meeting will be held this afternoon.—A. P.

Nasik Demands District Parliamentary Boards

(From Our Correspondent.)

NASIK, (By Mail.)

The Nasik District Congress Committee, at their meeting held here on the 28th inst., with Mr. P. S. Apte in the chair, passed a resolution requesting the Maharastra P. C. C. to allow the District Congress Committees in the Province to form District Congress Parliamentary Board with a view to be able to conduct the forthcoming electioneering campaign in the Districts systematically and efficiently.

INDO-JAP TRADE TALKS

Preliminary Pourparlers Commence At Simla

SIMLA, July 6.

Discussion between the Government of India officials and the representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and Industries preliminary to Indo-Japanese pourparlers commenced to-day.

Those who have arrived for these conversations are Sir Rahimtoolah Chinoy, Mr. Kasturbhai Lalbhai, Mr. P. H. Carpenter, Lala Sreeram, Mr. R. W. F. Kidson, Mr. F. V. Ware, Mr. W. Burns, Mr. Walchand Hirachand, Sir C. V. Mehta, Mr. D. P. Khaitan, Mr. T. Maloney, Mr. D. C. Carnerig.

During these conversations, Mr. Stewart, who has been making special study of the working of the Indo-Japanese Trade Agreement, will explain the course of trade for two years and more, and supply statistics bearing on it with a view to enabling the unofficial representatives present here to indicate the lines on which the pourparlers might start between the Government of India and Japanese delegation next week.

COLLECTIVE FARMING

(Continued From Page 6)

bitious national enterprises. I appeal through the columns of your paper to all well-wishers of the country who have the good of the nation at heart to set to work to make collective farming a success throughout the land. I shall discuss details and co-operate with those desirous of helping to promote the interests of the downtrodden population.—Yours, etc.,

P. Z. SAHIJA,

7, Shri Ram Nagar,
Delhi Shahdara.

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

Extensive Speculative Buying And Cheerful Tone

SHARES OF FORWARD LIST REGISTER BIG ADVANCES

Scarcity Of Sellers

BOMBAY, July 6.

The local Share Bazar ruled strong to-day with extensive buying and the market displayed cheerful tone.

There was large buying in all sections and the forward list registered sharp advance.

Cotton mill shares attracted impressive buying under the belief that the impending talks at Simla, with regard to the Indo-Japanese trade will produce favourable effects for our textile industry. Some operators believe that higher duties will be placed on imports of cotton manufactured goods from Japan. It remains to be seen what will be the final result, but at the moment, the market is becoming over enthusiastic.

Improved enquiry cotton mill shares, influenced other sections where scarcity of sellers helped substantial gains. Tata Steel, Cement, Hydro-Electric and other miscellaneous shares all looked up.

At the moment operators are full of bullish enthusiasm and prices are reaching new high levels. Tata Steel Shares have reached new tops, and even at this level there were few sellers..

The market is under the full control of powerful bull operators and outsiders are supporting the market. Short sellers get no chance to cover their sales and Jobbers are also following the upward trend.

The market looks like a run-away horse and there is no knowing where and when it will meet a crisis. The market needs extreme caution and we think it advisable to be away from the market for some time, as we believe that all known bullish factors are discounted and the market is subject to a sudden setback.

The market was suddenly taken unaware by big interests during the last 15 minutes. They spread large buying orders in all rings and prices spurted up. There was scarcity of contracts. This rise at about the closing time seems mainly due to speculation activity with a view to attract new buyers and force shorts to cover. It is freely said that some option business is done and the market looks a speculative venture. The market is expected to open tomorrow at a further rise.

TEXTILE MILLS.

	Bombay, July 6.
100 Ahm. Advance	275 10
500 Bombay Cotton	10 0
250 Bombay Dyeing	701 4
250 Bradbury	100 0
100 Century	163 12
100 Central India	276 4
100 Colaba	140 0
100 Coorla	85 0
250 David	60 0
250 Dawn	290 0
1 E. D. Sassoon	0-2-6
100 Finlay	116 4
100 Gokak	196 4
1000 Hindustan	1705 0
100 Indore	53 12
100 Khatau	61 4
100 Kohinoor	233 12
250 Laxmi	585 0
100 Madhavji	4 12
250 Madras United	35 0
1000 Morarji	705 0
250 Model	41 0
50 Mysore	81 4
100 New Great	125 0
100 Oosmanshahi	55 0
100 Phoenix	250 0
25 Sassoon Silk	33 4
1000 Sholapur	1775 0
50 Simplex	69 6
100 Swadeshi	187 8
100 Swan	86 0
25 Tata	8 0
500 Vishnu	1185 0
1000 Western	760 0
BANKS.	
50-100 Baroda	115 0
25-50 Central	36 6
500 Imperial	1588 14
125-500 Imp. Conty.	391 4
50-100 India	133 8
100 Reserve Bank	135 0
5 Union	5 10
CEMENTS.	
10 Bundi	37 14
160 Gwalior	133 0
100 Indian	545 0
40 Katni Defd.	2400 0
100 Katni Ord.	398 12
75 Okha	288 12
10 Punjab	26 12
100 Shahabad	517 8
70 United	148 8
INSURANCE.	
15-100 Jupiter	12 10
15-75 New India	47 8
200 Oriental	5022 8
10-50 Vulcan	7 10
ELECTRIC	
100 Ahmedabad Old	176 4
1000 Andhra Valley	1690 0
10 Ajmer	13 12
50 Bombay	160 10
100 Bombay Suburban	202 8
10 Broach	12 0
100 Karachi	245 0
100 Poona	230 0
100 Surat	191 4
100 Tata Hydro	180 0

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, July 6

Century 155 167 163 165 163/12
Bombay Dyeing 697 700 690 695 691 701
Kohinoor 232, 228 234 233/12
Central India 262 258 261 260 275 276/4
New Great 122 120 125
Simplex 71 70 69/6
Swadeshi 190 181 185 187/8
Bundi 38/2 37/14
I Cement 545 540 543 541 545
Punjab 27 26/14
Shahabad 520 517 515 515
Andhra 1680 1690
Tata Hydro 181/1 179/11 180
Tata Power 1672 1665 1670 1667 1680 1678/12
Tram Ord 160/10
T Steel Defd 747 746 750 748 760 755 765 767 763
T Steel Ord 184/12 186 185/12 187/8
Tata Steel 2nd Pref 163/8 164/4
Bellapur 225 227 221 223 222
B Steam 313 322 321/4
B Burma 505 520 516 526 531 527/8

1000 Tata Power		1678 12
RAILWAYS.		
500 Ahm. Prantij		922 8
100 C. Province		101 0
100 Dhond Baramati		102 0
100 Gujrat		91 0
100 Mandesa Bhon		101 8
100 Pachora Jamner		96 0
100 Sara Sirajgunje		103 0
500 Tapty Valley		787 8
MININGS.		
10 Shivrajpur		39 8
30 Tata Steel Def.		763 12
75 Tata Steel Ord		187 8
MISCELLANEOUS.		
100 Alcock		240 0
50 Belapur Sugar		202 8
250 Bombay Steam		321 4
125 Bombay Burma		527 3
50 Bombay Burma Con		178 12
8 sh. B. B Petrol		5-9-0
50 Bombay Telephone		121 0
100 Indian Bleaching		527 8
100 Indian Radio Defd.		527 8
100 Indian Radio Ord.		522 8
1000 Port Canning.		573 12
15 Scindia		19 10
30 Premier Construction		86 8
25 Tata Oil		18 12
PREFERENCE		
7 p.c. Andhra Valley		1,453 12
6 p.c. Bombay Steam		305 0
7 p.c. Bombay Trams		86 0
5 p.c. Central India		523 12
7 p.c. Katni 1st.		133 12
7 p.c. Katni 2nd		145 0
7-1/2 p.c. Punjab Cement		13 6
7 p.c. Tata Hydro		153 12
7½ p.c. Tata Power		1600 0
6 p.c. Tata Steel 1st		135 10
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Steel 2nd		164 4
5 1/2 p.c. Tata Mill		9 8
7 p.c. Vishnu		662 8

THE ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN INDUSTRIES

The undermentioned Resolution was passed at the General Meeting of the Association held on Saturday, the 4th instant:—

"Resolved that the name of this Association (known as the Small Industries Association) be changed to "The Association of Indian Industries."

NEW YORK WEEKLY COTTON STATISTICS (in 1,000's)

	New York, July 3	Season This Season to-date week	1934-35
Total in sight (excluding linters)	12,311	54	7,993
Forwarded to American Mills including Canada and other America (excluding linters)	6,121	106	4,748
Exports from U. S. Ports	6,125	74	4,834
Of which to Japan	1,529	5	1,538
Of which to China	47	—	112
Of which to Great Britain	1,410	38	766
Of which to Germany	864	4	424
Stock at New York	—	2	—
Stock at U S Ports	—	1,374	—
Stock at U S Interior Towns	—	1,381	—
World's visible supply	—	5,585	—
Of which American cotton	—	3,736	—
Forwarded to World's mills (excluding linters)	11,681	199	9,731
Receipts at U. S. Ports	7,057	23	4,354

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, July 6

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52 New Loan 100/6
3 per cent 1951/54 103/8
3 per cent 1941 104/8
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash 99/5
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 107/4
4 per cent 1943 110/14
4 per cent 1960/70 115/9
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 119/8
5 per cent 1939/44 108/8
5 per cent 1940/43 110/14
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 107/8

TAX-FREE

5 per cent 1945/55 Loan 120/12
4 per cent 1954/63 Mysore 111/4
5 per cent 1955 Mysore 123/4
5 1/2 per cent 1958 Mysore 108

CORPORATION LOANS (TAXABLE)

4 per cent B P T 1947 110
4 per cent M Deb 1974 108/12
5 per cent M Deb 1959 118/8
6 per cent M Deb 1954 131
6 per cent K P T 1956 131
6 1/2 per cent B I T 1937 104/0

Note:—3 1/2 per cent Government paper opened to-day at Rs. 99/3 and after improving to Rs. 99/3/6, closed at Rs. 99/3. Tone steady.

TATA IRON AND STEEL COMPANY, LD.

Output For June At Jamshedpur

Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd., Agents for the Tata Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., report that the total approximate production of Iron and Steel at the Steel Works at Jamshedpur during the month of June, 1936 was:

	Tons.
Pig Iron	70,996
Steel Ingots	65,533
Finished Steel	5 7,350

LINSEED & WHEAT

Bombay, July 6

The local market was firm to-day with a good enquiry for both linseed and wheat. Foreign advices are bullish and unfavourable weather in Canada is causing anxiety. Argentine cables report favourable weather.

LINSEED—	
September	7 11 9
May	7 6 0
WHEAT—	
September	4 9 6
January	4 13 0
May	4 11 9

WEATHER OVER U. S. COTTON BELT

EASTERN: Scattered showers.
CENTRAL: Cloudy unsettled
WESTERN: Partly cloudy, showers, probable.

GROUNDNUTS & SEEDS

Bombay, July 6

Groundnuts August—	
Opening	48 9 0
Highest	48 14 6
Lowest	48 8 0
Closing	48 13 6
Castorseed Sept—	
Opening	35 10 0
Highest	35 14 6
Lowest	35 8 6
Closing	35 9 6
Cottonseed Sept—	
Opening	21 1 0
Highest	21 3 6
Lowest	21 1 0
Closing	21 2 6

BOMBAY METALS

Bombay, July 6

London market—
Bazar closed.
New York—
Blue Eagle 9 1/2 cents
Non-Blue Eagle 8 7/8 cents
Bombay market—
Yellow metal sheets Rs. 32 8 0
Copper sheets Rs. 39 14 0
Tone: Very steady.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, July 4

July	7s 1/2d.
October	7s4d.
December	7s 7/8d.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS

Bombay, July 6

Wheat	8,984 cwts.
Linseed	3,253 cwts.
Rape, Rai and Mustard seeds	41 cwts.
Gingellyseed	116 cwts.
Poppyseed	45 cwts.
Groundnuts	5,878 cwts.
Castorseed	357 cwts.
Rice	9,899 cwts.
Myrabollams	948 cwts.
Cottonseed	9,569 cwts.
Mowraseed	549 cwts.
Gram	287 cwts.
Joowar	601 cwts.
Maize	57 cwts.
Barley	770 cwts.
Bajree	660 cwts.
Indian sugar	7,376 cwts.
Coal	535 Tons.

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES

F P Bales	1935-36	1934-35
Receipts to date 4-7-36	7057000	4357000
Receipts yesterday 4-7-36	—	3000
Exports to date 4-7-36	6125000	4840000
Stock at Ports 3-7-36	1374000	1223000
Stock at Interior Towns 3-7-36	1381000	181000
Stock at Liverpool 3-7-36	716000	647000
Visible Supply 3-7-36	3736000	3580000
Quantity in sight 3-7-36	12311000	7993000
Quantity out of sight 3-7-36	11681000	9731000

LIVERPOOL COTTON

HEDGE AND BOMBAY SELLING

Excellent Trade Support

Bombay, July 6.

On Saturday the Liverpool cotton futures market opened at a rise of 5 points with October 6.37. There was continental and scattered support on good textile reports from America. Later on there was scattered hedge selling and some Bombay selling which was absorbed by trade. There was scarcity of contracts and outsiders are taking more interest in the market. Crop reports are favourable but the statistical position of the market continues firm. The market closed at a rise of 4 to 5 points. Middling American spot cotton prices advanced 5 points at 7.23d.

INDIAN COTTON.

East Indian cotton futures were fairly steady and closed at a rise of 2 points. At the close July was quoted 5.73, October 5.54 and January 5.49.

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

The Egyptian cotton futures market was fairly steady and Sakels closed at a rise of 9 to 2 points. Uppers futures were 6 points up with spot cotton 6 points up at 8-30d.

All American markets were closed on Saturday.

PRIVATE CABLES.

Liverpool October highest 6.38+.06 lowest 6.36+.04.

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta & Co. have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool: Some longs realised owing to further releases of loan cotton, Pool selling October and better weather but position still looks strong.

Messrs. M. and B. Stern have received the following cable from their Liverpool Head Office:—

"Despite more favourable weather trade absorption and shortage contracts causes firmness. We think will continue till new crop moves.'

WALL-STREET REVIEW

NEW YORK, July 3

"The trend of prices for most of the days was irregular though the market ended the week on a firm tone, while current political developments attracted the attention of Wall Street they did not appreciably affect the stock market which pursued its dull and indefinite course with fresh incentive lacking. Steel issues were subjected to moderate pressure owing to fears of upheavals in the labour field but later they were inclined to rally on a more hopeful view of the situation despite the holiday traders seemed willing to extend their commitments in the latter part of the week though operations were quiet."—Reuter.

OSAKA SAMPIN

Osaka, July 6.

July	206.10+50
August	205.00
Sept.	204.10+70
Oct.	202.60+90
Jan.	201.20+80

SCARCITY OF SPINNING COTTON IN U. S. A.

Weekly Review

NEW YORK, July 3

After early realising the advance was resumed on covering and trade buying owing to the tight spot situation and the scarcity of contracts. Many think that the advance of eight to nine dollars per bale since the end of April is based chiefly on the presidency of trade demand and improving general business, together with the scarity of good spinning cotton outside Government financed stocks.

The trend towards reduced acreage estimates which are at present around 30,888,000 acres accelerated buying with some thinking that between deficiency of winter rainfall clothwest and the drought in May in the eastern belt the crop has been placed on the defensive.

A small lot of south brazilian cotton of 1-1/32 inch staple is reported to have been sold here below the price of American cotton and more may be attracted by the high basis.

Renewed activity developed in primary cloth markets with sales in June believed to have exceeded current production.—Reuter.

BOMBAY SUGAR

Bombay, July 6

Java ready	13 6 6
June shipment	3 15 6
July Sept shipment	3 14 6
Oct-Dec shipment	3 14 0
Kesar ready	13 2 0
Saraya ready	13 0 0
Spot Java	F. 3.80

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, July 6

Following a rise of 5 points in Liverpool cotton futures, the local market opened to-day at Rs. 216 for Broach A/M delivery and advanced to Rs. 216/4 on scattered buying. Later on there was some liquidation and prices were placed at Rs. 215/12 while Broach J/A was quoted at Rs. 224/8.

The undertone of the market was quiet.

Liverpool market opened to-day unchanged and the local market ruled steady. The market closed to-day at 4-30 p.m. Brokers left the ring on sad news of the death of Mr. Rambilas the youngest son of Seth Anandilal Poddar in a motor accident. Quotations were as under:—

Broach J/A	225 0 0
Broach A/M	216 0 0
Oomra July	207 8 0
Oomra D/J	196 0 0
Bengal July	187 12 0
Bengal D/J	159 4 0

OFFICIAL COTTON ROOM RATES

Bombay, July 6

	Extra Sprfine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M G—					
Bengal U P	... 200	196	191	187	
Punjab	... 200	196	191	187	
Rajputana	... ...	...	...	...	
Oomra No. 3	217	214	211	207	...
C P No. 1	227	224	221	217	...
C P No. 2	223	220	217	213	...
Broach No. 2	... 233	229	226	222	
Punjab-Ame	... 243	239	236	232	
Surat	... 268	264	261	257	
Rajpipla	... 265	261	258	254	
Navsari	... 274	270	267	263	

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS

Bombay, July 6

Bengal Superfine	199/201
Bengal Fine	196/197
Bengal F G	193/194
C P 1 Fine	215/216
C P 2 Fine	212/213
Arvi Fine	212/213
Ellichpur Fine	212/213
Berar Fine	210/211
Khamgaon Fine	210/211
Mulkapur Fine	208/206
Khandesh Fine	196/201
Jalna/Sailu	198/201

AMERICAN COTTON CROP

Private Estimate

Messrs. Clement Curtis and Co., Chicago gives the following estimate of the growing crop of cotton:—

	Bales.
Total Crop	11,240,000
Condition	68.7 per cent.

Burwah Sanavad	209/211
Mathia	186/191
Broach Fine	225/228
Dhollera	219/221
Punjab/American	225/230
Sindh-American	225/230
Cambodia	265/270
Compta	225/230
Westerns	215/225
Miraj	215/218
Jagadia Ankleshwar	257/259
Surat	260/261
Navsari	269/271
Kampala	348/350
Manza	325/330

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS

Bombay, July 6

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.

Since 1st Sept.

In full-pressed Bales.

	4-7-36	This year
Khandesh	114	301,904
Central India	303	276,364
Barsi and Nagar	239	171,788
Hyderabad-Gaorani	...	39,784
Berar	123	338,312
Central Provinces	115	98,676
Total Oomras	894	1,221,828
Dholera	4,712	259,408
N.-W. Provinces	...	62,359
Rajputana	863	103,251
Sind-Punjab	24	455,954
Broach	1,043	386,913
Coompta and Dharwar	781	88,336
Westerns-Northerns	...	59,455
Cocoanada	...	148
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	24	17,594
Persian	...	9
American	...	25,811
Egyptian and African	412	222,925
Comilla, Burma and other sorts	...	462
Total	8,753	2,900,543

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.

1st. Sept. to 2nd July

In full-pressed Bales.

	4-7-36	This year.
Europe	248	480,480
Japan and China	2,260	1,248,626
Coast Ports	...	36,719
Up-country by Rail	...	198,261
Afloat in harbour for Europe China and Japan	...	38,196
Total	2,508	2,002,282

COTTON TENDERS

Bombay, July 6

	To-day.	Total
Broach	6950	24900
Bengal	nil	nil
Oomra	500	1400

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON STATISTICS (in 1,000's)

Total forwarded	2,538	65	2,417
East Indian forwarded	427	21	356
Total stock	—	716	—
East Indian stock	—	85	—

GOLD & SILVER

Bombay, July 6

On Saturday, London gold improved by 2 1/2d. to 86-19-1 1/2. London Paris Exchange was unchanged at 75.73 and Dollar Sterling Exchange was quoted at 5.02 1/16. Silver was steady at a rise of 1/8d. to 19 1/2. Montreal prices are unchanged and Shanghai T T on London was quoted to-day at 1-2 3/8.

The local silver market was quiet but steady with a limited business and prices fluctuated within a narrow range. There was a fair enquiry for gold.

GOLD

Ready	34 5 6
Ashad	34 5 6
Shrawan	34 5 6

SILVER

Ready	48 8 0
Ashad	48 8 0
Shrawan	48 10 0

MONTREAL SILVER

Montreal, July 3

July	44.65
September	44.70
December	45.0
December	45.00

HIGH AND LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, July 4

Broach J/A opening 223 3/4; highest 224 3/4; lowest 223 1/2; closing 224 1/2

Broach A/M 1937 opening 215; highest 215 3/4; lowest 214 3/4; closing 215 1/2

Oomra July opening 205 3/4; highest 206; lowest 205 3/4; closing 206

Oomra D/J opening 194 1/2; highest 195; lowest 194 1/2; closing 194 3/4

Bengal July opening 188 3/4; highest 189; lowest 188; closing 188

Bengal D/J opening 157 3/4; highest 158 1/4; lowest 157 3/4; closing 158 1/4

Tejimandi for Broach A/M Settlement (21-7-36) Rs 6 3/4

Tejimandi for Broach A/May (31-3-37) Rs. 24

COTTON STRADDLES

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES

Bombay Liverpool: Broach July/Aug 224/8 Liverpool July 6.27 Rs. 69 3/4 at Exchange 1/6

Bombay Liverpool: Broach A/M 1937 215/8 Liverpool May 6.21 Rs. 54 1/2 at Exchange 1/6

COTTON ARRIVALS

	Bales.
Receipts into Bombay on 3rd July	5,807
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1935	2,891,790
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	2,355,050
Increase	536,740

CAWNPORE SUGAR QUOTATIONS

Cawnpore, July 2

Ryam	8 2 0
Champaran	8 2 0
Samastipur	8 1 6
Japaha	7 13 0
Lohat Siding	8 1 0
Motihari	7 12 0
Chanpatiya	7 10 6
Narkatiya	7 10 0
Marhowrah	8 8 0
Pachrukhi	8 1 0
Pertabpur	7 15 6
New Savan	7 10 0
Gaureepur	7 12 0
Sarayan	7 14 0
Sasamosa	7 10 0
Ghughly	7 5 0
Pharenda	7 9 6
Walterganj	7 8 0
Munderwa 7	7 11 0
Munderwa 5	7 10 0
Munderwa 3	7 9 0
Basti	8 0 0
Ram Kola	7 8 0
Ramkhetan	7 9 0
Luxmiganj	7 9 0
Padrauna	7 9 0
Padrauna Local	7 4 0
Pipraich	7 9 0
Diamond	7 10 0
Siswa Bazar	7 7 0
Nawabganj	7 10 6
Pursa	7 7 0
Sidholia	7 9 0
Majholia	7 11 0
Bhatni	7 10 0
Savan (Indian)	7 7 0
Bhavnan	7 12 0
Burwal	7 12 0
Jarwal Road	7 9 0
Lucknow	7 12 0
Balrampur	7 12 0
Khadda	7 7 0
Khadda Local	7 3 6
Reega	7 8 0
Barhani	7 11 0
Biswan	7 8 0
Sakhari	8 1 0
Semapur	8 3 0
Harinagar	8 2 0
Motipore	8 6 0
Khatkuiyan	7 8 0
Sitalpur	7 14 0
Captainganj	7 10 0
Hathua	7 9 0
Sagauli	7 10 0
Baitalpur	7 10 0
Jhusi	8 2 0
Chitauni	7 6 6
Maharajganj	7 4 0
Hasanpore	7 13 0
Tamkohi	7 7 0
Harkua	7 9 0
Gorakhpur	7 4 0
Seohara	8 0 0
Behta	8 0 0
Dehri	8 4 0
Simbhaoli	8 6 0
Sahaganj	7 15 0
Rampur	8 9 0
Pilibhit	7 12 0
Bareilly	8 2 0
Maholi	7 12 0
Rosa	7 12 0
Gola	7 11 6
Hargaon	7 10 0
Baheri Kesar	8 2 0
Naoly	8 1 0
Cawnpore	8 1 6
Gootaiya	8 2 0
Juggilal	8 1 6

MONEY EXCHANGE

Bombay, July 6

B C RATE—	
T T D D	1/6 1/32
LONDON—	
Banks selling T T D D July.	
December	1/6 3/32
Banks buying T T	1/6 5/32
Banks buying D D	1/6 3/16
Banks buying 3 Mos.	1/6 7/32
NEW YORK—	
B C Rate T T	266 7/8
Banks selling T T	266 7/8
Banks buying T T	262 3/4
PARIS—	
Banks selling T T	569
Banks buying T T	579
JAPAN—	
Banks selling T T	77 5/8
Banks buying T T	77 3/8
AMSTERDAM—	
Banks selling D D	55 1/2
JAVA—	
Banks selling D D	55 1/4
HONGKONG—	
Banks selling D D	86 3/8
SHANGHAI—	
Banks selling D D	80 1/4
SINGAPORE—	
Banks selling D D	156 3/8
BERLIN—	
Banks selling D D	92 1/2
CROSS RATE—	
New York/London 4th instant	closed.
Japan/London 6th instant	1/2 1/16
Java/London 6th instant	7.31 1/2
Hongkong/London 6th instant	1/3 9/16
Shanghai/London 6th instant	1/2 3/8
London/Paris 4th instant	75.78
London/Belgium 4th instant	29.67
London/Switzerland 4th instant	15.32 1/4
London/Berlin 4th instant	12.42 1/2
London/Stockholm 4th instant	19.39 1/2
London/New York 4th instant	5.02 1/16
London/Amsterdam 4th instant	7.26
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Steady.	
Gold 3rd instant	£6-18-11
Gold 4th instant	£6-19-1 1/2
Silver London Ready 3rd instant	19 5/8
4th instant	19 1/2
Silver London Forward 3rd instant	19 7/16
4th instant	19 1/2
Silver New York Ready 3rd instant	45
4th instant	45
London Discounts 3 Mos 3rd instant	11/16 p.c.
4th instant	11/16 p.c.
London Discount 6 Mos 3rd instant	7/8 p.c.
4th instant	7/8 p.c.
Reserve Bank Rate	3 p.c.
Bank of England Rate	2 p.c.
Money:—	
Call	1/2 p.c.
3 Mos.	3/4 p.c.
6 Mos.	1 p.c.
Tone:—Easy.	

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS.

Bombay: July 6.

Killick Nixon and Coy's s s City of Barcelona of 3524 reg tons Capt W Hill arrived from Birkenhead via Port Said, Suez, Port Sudan with general cargo.

Graham's Trading Coy's s s Tarantia of 3098 reg tons Capt J Duncan arrived from Glasgow via Liverpool, Port Said and Suez with general cargo.

O S Kaisha's s s Borneo Maru of 4262 reg tons Capt Y Iwasaki arrived from Karachi via Kutch-Kundla with cotton and general cargo.

P & O S N Coy's s s Soudan of 3477 reg tons Capt M G Symons arrived from Otaru via Kobe, Shanghai, Hongkong, Singapore, Penang and Colombo with general cargo.

M B Kaisha's s s Yahiko Maru of 3575 reg tons Capt H Ishu arrived from Yokohama via Nagoya, Osaka, Kobe, Moji, Tsakumi, Keeling, Hongkong and Singapore with general cargo.

Indo-Burma Petroleum Coy's oil tanker s s Shwedagon of 1999 reg tons Capt E W Henderson arrived from Rangoon with cargo of Bulk Oil and general cargo.

Killick Nixon and Coy's s s City of Hongkong of 6071 reg tons Capt H L Walton arrived from Karachi with general cargo.

Lionel Edwards s s New Orleans of 3834 reg tons Capt J Mockrish arrived from Norfolk via Baltimore Philadelphia, Willington, New York Port Said, Suez and Karachi with general cargo.

DEPARTURES.

Bombay: July 6.

Scindia Steam Navg. Coy's s s Jalamohan of 3146 reg tons Capt. F.R. Cranby sailed for Bassein in water ballast.

M B Kaisha's s s Yahiko Maru of 3575 reg tons Capt H Ishu sailed for Basra, Bushire, Baherin and Persian Gulf Ports in ballast.

LOADING.

Bombay: July 6.

The following steamers entered for Loading on 6-7-36:—

S.S. Jalamani (Sc. S N Co) for Tuticorin, Colombo and Rangoon.

Jalaveera (Sc. S N Co.) for Madras and Calcutta.

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BOMBAY: TUESDAY, JULY 7, 1936

CONGRESS ELECTION CAMPAIGN STARTS IN RIGHT EARNEST

Organisation With Full Vigour Urged

Help C. P. C. & Ensure Success Of Congress Candidates

Accord Full Support In Elections Propaganda

STIRRING APPEAL TO NATION

The following appeal has been issued on behalf of the Congress Parliamentary Committee:—

"It was decided by the Lucknow Session of the Indian National Congress that elections to the Legislatures under the New Constitution should be contested on behalf of the Congress. The Working Committee of the Congress accordingly constituted the Parliamentary Committee to organise the elections on behalf of the Congress.

STUPENDOUS WORK

This Committee held its first meeting at Wardha on the 1st and 2nd inst., and chalked out its plan of action. The work before the Committee is stupendous. Under the New Constitution there are some 2,100 seats for the various Provincial Legislatures, and it is, the duty of the Committee to secure the election of the Congress candidates by over 30 million voters. This task can be performed only, if the entire Congress Organisation in the country is mobilised and the active support of the general public is secured.

ORGANISE VIGOROUSLY

The Provincial Congress Committee have been asked to set Parliamentary Committees for their respective provinces to take up this work of organisation with full vigour. Other parties and persons intending to set up candidates are already in the field and are busy making preparations. Even canvassing by individuals has begun in many places. The Congress Organisation should therefore lose no time in setting to work.

The country knows what the Congress has stood for during all these years of struggle and sacrifice. Our goal is Independence or Purna Swaraj and those, and only those, who are pledged to this vow and for the struggle for attaining it, can be set up on its behalf.

MANIFESTO.

The All-India Congress Committee will issue the Election Manifesto in due time, and suitable candidates will be selected, whose duty it will be to carry out jointly the Congress policy in the Legislatures. The purpose of the Congress can, however, be achieved only, if in this campaign, the Congress receives an overwhelming support of the nation. The public, and particularly those persons, who have been given the right of vote, should treat their right as sacred trust for the country.

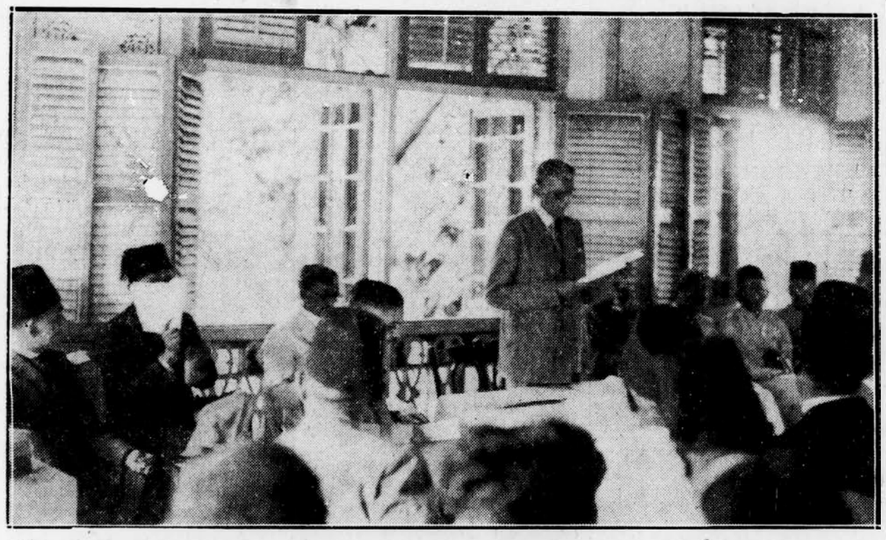
APPEAL FOR FULL SUPPORT

The Congress has proved its worth not by words, but by deeds and by suffering, and an appeal is made on its behalf to the nation for all possible support in the fullest measure, so that it may achieve its high objective".

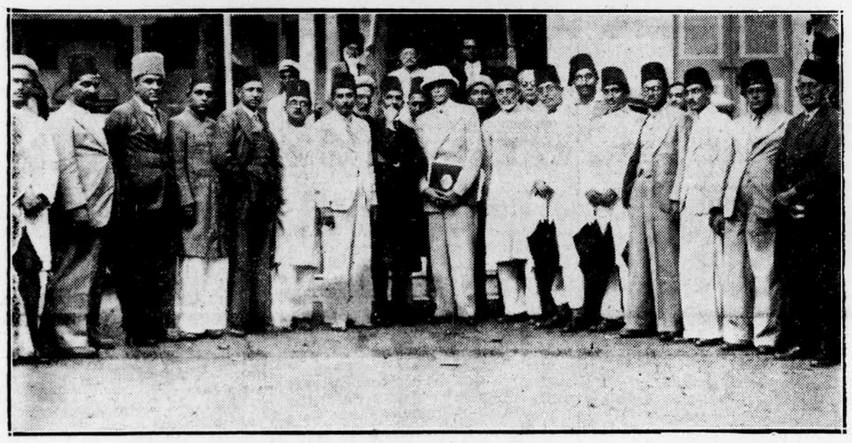
RAJENDRA PRASAD,
GOVIND VALLABH PANT,
SECRETARIES.

VALLABHBHAI PATEL,
CHAIRMAN.

Note:—All communications intended for the Congress Parliamentary Committee should be addressed to the Secretaries, Congress Parliamentary Committee, Congress House, Girgaum, Bombay.



Mr. M. A. Jinnah addressing the Muslim representatives, from all over the Presidency on Sunday, regarding the formation of a Provincial Board.



A group photo of Muslim representatives from all over the Presidency, who met on Sunday to form a Provincial Muslim League Parliamentary Board.

Sardar & Rajen Babu Arrive In Bombay

Will Conduct Parliamentary Committee's Campaign From Congress House

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Babu Rajendra Prasad, the Chairman and Secretary, respectively of the Congress Parliamentary Committee have begun their work in right earnest, immediately after their arrival in Bombay on Monday morning.

The Central Offices of the Parliamentary Board were opened at the Congress House on Monday morning and Babu Rajendra Prasad will personally look into the correspondence and propaganda in connection with the Election campaign.

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, has made Bombay his headquarters and will be here till after the elections.

RAJEN BABU'S PROGRAMME.

Babu Rajendra Prasad will be in Bombay for about a fortnight and then leave for Bihar after the arrival of Pandit Govind Vallabh Pant, the other Secretary of the Board. One of the Secretaries will be in Bombay till the middle of February.

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, in the course of a talk with a "Chronicle" representative said that, however much he wished to go into the country and do work among the peasants, he had to carry on the work of the Parliamentary Committee. "I am a peasant" he said but yet once the responsibility of Parliamentary work had been taken up, he would try his best to see it through.

SARDAR NOT TO CONTEST.

Asked if he would contest the elections from Gujerat, the Sardar laughed and said that he would not stand for election at all. His work was to conduct the election campaign and not to contest the election.

Since the Congress had decided to enter the Legislatures, it was in the interest of the Congress and the country, that everyone should work and make the Parliamentary programme a success.

The Election Manifesto had not yet been drafted. Asked as to whether it was imperative to make the Congress attitude re. offices clear in the Manifesto, the Sardar said that it was not necessary. There were two different and distinct Congress resolutions on the two questions and it was not necessary that the Manifesto should contain the Office question issue.

CONGRESS TO DECIDE IT.

Asked if the next meeting of the All-India Congress Committee at Bombay would consider the Office question, Sardar said that it might not. According to the Lucknow resolution, the A. I. C. C after consulting the different Provincial Congress Committees will have to come to a decision on the subject. So far the P. C. Cs had not been consulted.

While the A. I. C. C. could approve of the Manifesto, in all probability, the next Session of the Congress would be deciding the Office question and not the A. I. C. C.

The Chairman and Secretaries of the Parliamentary Committee will tour the Country and carry on an intensive campaign from the Congress House, Bombay.

Peep Behind Geneva Purdah

Lifting Of Sanctions Proves God-Send To Italy

ONE MORE MONTH AND DUCE WOULD HAVE DISGORGED ALL

Secret Understanding With Britain At Bottom Of 'Close' Of Affair?

The "Bombay Sentinel" publishes the following:—

"The Sentinel" is able to reveal the true financial and economic bankruptcy of Italy under the government of Il Duce which shows how that ancient kingdom of Caesars, "Land of Poets, Musicians and Artists" as Mussolini says, has been shaken to its very foundations by the economic sanctions, which the weak-kneed western Powers have decided to raise just at the moment when they were on the point of succeeding.

The information which has come to the "Sentinel" is based on private advises and comes from reliable sources in Bombay direct from Rome. It shows how utterly misleading are the reports published in the press from leading news agencies.

For example, the trend of speeches made in the League and the House of Commons go to show that the sanctions have outlived their utility and it is no use continuing them. Mr. Neville Chamberlain condemned them as "Midsummer Madness". The true position is different.

The sanctions have so reduced Italy's coffers that foreign trade is impossible. Lira cannot be exported because there is no gold coverage. Foreign traders who deal with Italy cannot realise their dues in cash, but a system of barter has been initiated by which they can be paid in kind.

Italy has been so hard hit that she finds it very difficult even to meet the expenses of her Consular organizations.

Further, she has no money even to colonise Ethiopia, and most of her troops have had to be recalled.

Work Of "Civilisation"

The work of "civilization," on the other hand, has begun with a vengeance. Italy has introduced a complicated banking system in Ethiopia by which all the available silver in circulation has been replaced by Bank of Italy's notes. Silver or gold hoarding is punished severely, and Ethiopians are forced to surrender all their precious metal.

One of the letters sent from Rome reveals the startling fact that King Victor Emanuel of Italy refused to accept the title of Emperor of Ethiopia.

Probably, King Victor is not so sure himself that his country will recover from the severe blow that sanctions have inflicted.

But for Britain's lead in the movement for lifting the sanctions they would have been continued, and backed up by other Powers the world would have seen the triumph of right over might and what is more to the purpose, the doom of a conquest-mad Dictator.

Britain's Fear.

Britain's strange attitude in this respect is stated to have been a direct resultant of the Italian capture of the Tsana Lake area and the consequent fear of British and allied interests in Egypt which are threatened with grave consequences if the waters of the Lake are cut off to aliens.

Britain would seem to have come to a secret understanding with the Dictator by which England will have free access to the Tsana waters, in return for giving the necessary lead in raising the sanctions, which will automatically lift Italy from the economical morass into which she has dragged herself in the Ethiopian adventure.

Another month more of sanctions and Italy would have had to disgorge all that she had swallowed in Ethiopia.

Mussolini's Bombast.

Mussolini is playing the role of a lion-tamer who, having no strength of his own, cows the King of the jungle by raising his voice.

The Dictator's threats of war if sanctions were continued were empty bombast meant to strike terror into the heart of a war-weary world. Pouring poison-gas on a defenceless nation ill-prepared to meet the weapons of modern warfare is one thing and trying the same stunts on fully-armed leading powers is another.

ALLEGED FRAUDS ON INSURANCE COS.

Sensational Disclosures In Lahore

LAHORE, July 5.

Sensational cases of fraud involving Rs. 25,000 in which Insurance Companies of Lahore are the victims are reported from Multan. Cases number about 40.

It is understood an astute gang with its base at Multan and ramifications all over Punjab has been carrying on systematic fraud by having bogus people insured who in most cases do not exist, and securing payment on the plea of the death of the insured people.

Several such bogus policy-holders had actually received payment from some Lahore companies. Several Lambardars and doctors also are involved.—United Press.

A Yeotmal message states that while a little boy of about two years was following his mother who was crossing a river, without her knowledge, he was drowned in the river.

EDGAR WALLACE'S DETECTIVE STORY DAY BY DAY

Inspector Wade— *A King By Night*

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